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BIRTHS.

ATTWOOLL—November 17, 1940, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Gladys, wife of Charles T. Attwooll, Beaumont Gardens, Blackrock, a son.

BELL—October 3, 1940, at Miss Martin's Nursing Home, Eglantine avenue, Belfast, to Violet (*née* Miller), wife of W. J. Bell, of 167 North street, Belfast, a son.

GREENE—November 18, 1940, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, Dublin, to Peggy, wife of Gordon M. Greene, of 5 Braemor Park, Rathgar, Dublin, a daughter.

SMYTH—November 14, 1940, in Sydney, to Betty, wife of Ernest A. Smyth, R.A.M.C., Singapore, a daughter. (By cable.)

MARRIAGES.

JAMIESON and STRONACH—November 21, 1940, at the Cathedral of the Highlands, Nairobi, Alister Jamieson, Kenya Administration, to Joan May, eldest daughter of J. C. Stronach and Mrs. Stronach, Nairobi, Kenya. (By cable.)

McMORRIS and FLETCHER—November 5, 1940, at Kilbeggan, by Rev. H. C. Hughes, M.A.; Neville G., youngest son of the late Samuel and Mrs. McMorris, Roseville, Kilbeggan, to Dorothy, eldest daughter of the late A. W. and Mrs. Fletcher, Kilcummins, Belmont, Offaly.

SIXSMITH and KILROE—September 25, 1940, at St. Bartholomew's Church, Barrackpore, India, Captain Charles Sixsmith (Cameronians), fourth son of the late C. I. G. Sixsmith and Mrs. Sixsmith, Greenway, West Horsley, to Helen Frances, elder daughter of the late Frank Kilroe and Mrs. Kilroe, 7 Delhi street, Belfast.

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SMITH and POWER—November 24, 1915, at the Church of St. Joseph, Glasthule, Co. Dublin, by the Very Reverend Canon McGough, P.P., V.F.; Alfred Edward Craythorne, only son of the late Mr. Edward Latham Smith and of Mrs. Smith, of Moseley, Worc., and Alice, eldest daughter of the late Daniel Fortescue Power, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., and of Mrs. Power, of Sandycove, Co. Dublin.

DEATHS.

ALLAN—November 21, 1940, at his residence, Jocks Lodge, Domadea, Co. Kildare, George Macdonald, much-loved husband of Isabella Meuzies Allan. Funeral to-day (Monday) at 3.30 to Staplestown.

BUTLER—November 24, 1940, at Clonard, Killiney, John P. Butler. Requiem Mass to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at Ballybrack Church at 9.15. Funeral (strictly private) afterwards. No flowers. R.I.P.

CAMPBELL—November 23, 1940, at his residence, 8 Magdalen terrace, Galway, John Campbell. Deeply regretted by his wife and family. Funeral from his residence to New Cemetery at 2 o'clock to-day (Monday). Service at cemetery.

CRAMPTON—November 23, 1940 (suddenly), at Limepark, Caledon, Rev. Henry Fyers Crampton, B.A., dearly-beloved husband of Margaret Crampton, late Rector of Blacklion, Cavan. Deeply regretted. Funeral to Caledon Church to-day (Monday), November 25th, at 2 o'clock.

DILL—November 23, 1940, at Aut Even Hospital, Kilkenny, Gertrude Dill, Stokestown House, New Ross, widow of James Scott Dill, I.M.S., and daughter of the late C. H. Greene, C.E., of Johnstown House, Co. Cavan, aged 84. Funeral to Mount Jerome to-morrow (Tuesday). "At Rest."

DISNEY—November 19, 1940, at Willingdon, Eastbourne, Susie, only daughter of the late Rev. James Disney, Rector of Killyman, Tyrone.

FAGAN—November 23, 1940, at Children's Hospital, Temple street, Dublin, Elizabeth Fagan, in religion Sister Joseph Borgia, last surviving daughter of the late Thomas Fagan, Lick-Bla, Castlepollard, Co. Westmeath. R.I.P.

HASKINS—On Saturday, November 23, 1940, at Glenlo, Tramore, Co. Waterford, Harriet Jane, beloved wife of Thomas Francis Haskins. Funeral private. No flowers.

HAYES—November 23, 1940, at his residence, Clondalla House, Thomas P. Hayes. Funeral to Dunkerrin at 2 p.m. (new time) to-day (Monday).

LEDWICH—November 23, 1940 (suddenly), at Kilskyre Rectory, Kells, Co. Meath, Lillian, widow of the late Edward L'Estrange Ledwich, L.R.C.S.I., of Dublin. Funeral strictly private.

LEWIS—November 22, 1940, Evelyn Mary, only child of the late Michael Lewis and of the late Mrs. Wilson, and dear stepdaughter of John Wilson, Ballyhue, Mount Lucas, Daingean. Funeral left for Philiptown Church yesterday (Sunday), November 24, at 2.30 p.m. (S.T.).

LYONS—November 22, 1940, at 25 Brendan road, Donnybrook, Dublin, Edward Lyons, formerly of Balheary, Swords. Requiescat in pace. Funeral (private), after 10 o'clock Mass, to-day (Monday) from the Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, to Glasnevin.

O'HIGGINS—November 24, 1940, at Richmond Hospital, Colonel Seamus O'Higgins. R.I.P. Remains will be removed from hospital to Arbour Hill Church at 6 p.m. to-day (Monday). Funeral to Trim, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Tuesday). No flowers.

PETTIGREW—November 23, 1940, at her residence, Cooleevin, Lark Hill, Sligo, Vera Marguerite Pettigrew, B.Sc., beloved wife of Gordon Pettigrew. Funeral (private) to Sligo Cemetery. No mourning, no flowers, by her own wish.

QUEE—November 23, 1940, after a brief illness, Charles Alexander, of 5 Upper Ely place, Dublin, dearly-loved husband of Nana Quee, and second son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quee, of Bangor, Co. Down. Funeral arrangements later.

SHEPPARD—November 23, 1940, at a Dublin hospital, Isabella, beloved wife of Thomas Sheppard, Deerpark, Belmont. Funeral at Moystown to-day (Monday), 3 o'clock (S.T.).

STEPHENSON—November 24, 1940, Elizabeth, widow of William Stephenson, Brockey, Manor Kilbride. Funeral from Royal Hospital, Donnybrook, to-morrow (Tuesday), arriving Blessington 3 p.m. (N.T.). "Peace, perfect peace."

TIERNAN—November 22, 1940, at his residence, Main street, Moate, Thomas Tiernan. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, family and relatives. R.I.P. Funeral took place yesterday (Sunday) at 2 o'clock (O.T.) from St. Patrick's Church, Moate, to Tubber Cemetery. Office and High Mass at St. Patrick's Church, Wednesday, November 27, at 10.30 (O.T.).

WHYTE—On Friday, November 22, 1940, at Sutton Lodge, Sutton, Co. Dublin, William Henry Whyte, eldest son of the late John Whyte, J.P., Clontarf, and dearly-beloved husband of Nellie Whyte. Funeral, Mount Jerome Cemetery, this (Monday) morning at 9.30.

WILSON—November 23, 1940, John Wilson, Inchaquire, Ballytore, Co. Kildare, aged 78 years. Funeral to-day (Monday), 2.30 p.m., to Narraghmore.

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By Order of the Committee,
SEAN O DOCHARTAIGH,
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CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS COLUMN.

DEATHS.

WILKIE—November 23, 1940, at Clonmel, Mary Wilkie, wife of Richard Wilkie, Springvalley, Enniscorthy. Funeral from St. Mary's Church, Enniscorthy, to the Moyne Cemetery to-day (Monday) at 3 p.m. (new time).

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 4.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

JENNER—Miss Dorothy Jenner and relatives wish to return sincere thanks to the Staffs of the Bohemian Cinema and Theatre Royal, also to the many friends who sent Mass cards and messages of sympathy.

IN MEMORIAM.

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Dated the 12th day of November, 1940.
THOMAS E. B. ADDERLEY Examiner.
P. R. BOYD, Solicitor for Plaintiffs, 10 College Green, Dublin.

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PROGRESS OF PIONEER ASSOCIATION

District Justices in various areas were protesting against the evil of dances at which intoxicants were sold, said the Right Rev. Mgr. E. O'Callaghan, P.P., V.G., Drogheda, who presided yesterday at a meeting of the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association in the Theatre Royal, Dublin. Pioneers, he said, were a vast army and they should make their presence felt in the country.

The State had a duty to the community to regulate the laws concerning the sale of intoxicants, and these laws, as they were administered, were responsible for many of the evils which they all deplored.

Mgr. O'Callaghan announced that a message of congratulation was being sent to the Very Rev. Dr. McQuaid, C.S.Sp., Archbishop-elect of Dublin.

The Rev. J. Flinn, S.J., Central Director, in his annual report, said that eighty-two new centres had been formed during the year, this bringing the number of active centres up to 835. He expressed the hope that the centenary year of the birth of Father Cullen would see his work reflected in 1,000 centres. He said that the report he had read could not blind them to the fact that grave abuses with regard to drink still existed, and they had had reason to complain in places of the non-observance and unsatisfactory enforcement of the licensing laws.

To-day they had in their hands the same weapons as Father Cullen had in 1889, when he founded the Association.

Despite accusations to the contrary, they had no desire to force teetotalism on anybody, but they had the right to insist that at dances, weddings or gatherings of athletes, drink should not be forced upon the unwilling, and particularly upon the young. They ought to foster the spirit that would end the contemptible, and, at times, the criminal, jibes used to break down the resolve of the boy or girl who wished to remain true to the pledge made for the love of the Sacred Heart.

The Rev. T. Counihan, S.J., asked was it not time for the Pioneers to wake up from their slumbers, not only to keep out the enemy invading their homes, but to push him out, and not rest until the pride of victory was theirs.

A new field had been opened to their apostolate—to make Pioneers of all soldiers, Volunteers, and members of the L.S.F.

A vote of thanks was proposed by the Rev. E. MacGowan, P.P., Ahoghill; seconded by the Rev. D. W. Lamont, O.Carm., and passed by acclamation

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THE REAL AIM OF EDUCATION

CASTLEKNOCK COLLEGE UNION DINNER

"WE realise that education means more than the obtaining of examination results. The final end, the chief aim and real purpose of education is the formation of character," said the Very Rev. W. Meagher, C.M., President of Castleknock College, at the annual dinner of the College Union, held in the College on Saturday night.

They aimed, he said, at producing men of character, men who had principles, and who would live up to them. The measure in which they succeeded in producing such men, he said, was the measure in which they succeeded in their work in the College. The friendly relations existing between the priests and boys helped to make school life pleasant, and the result was better work. They were all glad to see the Union thriving, and to see so many past pupils taking an interest in it. They deserved especial congratulations on their work for the Boys' Club.

Father Meagher congratulated the Very Rev. Dr. McQuaid on his appointment as Archbishop of Dublin, and said that, as a member of the Catholic Headmasters' Association, he had ample opportunity of judging Dr. McQuaid's outstanding qualities, and to anyone who knew him it was obvious that he had the characteristic virtues that made a great priest.

I know on that account, said Father Meagher, I may assure him of the filial respect and the deep loyalty of the many past pupils of Castleknock who reside in the Archdiocese.

The President of the Union (Mr. Joseph Downes, B.Arch.) referred to the great honour that had been conferred on a past President of a famous sister College. The Union had sent its congratulations to the Very Rev. Dr. McQuaid, and he wished now to extend congratulations to Blackrock College, and to the members of that College Union, whose President, Dr. J. A. Harbison, was with them.

A HEALTHY CONDITION

In spite of somewhat abnormal circumstances their Union, he said, was in a very healthy condition. Difficulties had been encountered, but had been surmounted, thanks to their very efficient committee. The College itself was in a flourishing condition, with a full capacity of 230 students. The examination results this year had been extremely satisfactory, and they had also their successes on the football and sports' fields.

The attendance included:—Mr. J. V. Downes, B.Arch., President of the Union; Very Rev. W. Meagher, C.M., President of College; Mr. W. T. Cosgrave T.D.; Surgeon Barniville, Mr. Frank Fahy, T.D., Ceann Comhairle An Dail; Diarmuid O'Hegarty, Rev. R. J. Tyndall, S.J.; Rev. M. Doyle C.M.; Rev. J. K. Murphy, C.M.; Rev. P. Campbell, C.M.; Messrs. B. J. Smyth, J. J. Robinson, President, Clongowes Union; J. J. Murphy, President, O'Connell Schools Union; R. A. O'Brien, President, C.U.S. Union; Dr. J. A. Harbison, President, Blackrock Union; Messrs. Wm. Fanagan, President, Mary's Union; R. Coughlan, Terenure College Union; Percy Higgins, C. O'Brien, V. J. Downes; Very Rev. M. Cogan, P.P.; Mr. Vincent Carton, Dr. Albert Fagan, Dr. F. O'Donnell, Mr. Leo Smyth, Dr. L. Curtin, Mr. Joseph Nolan, Rev. John Campbell, Senator Joseph Brennan, Mr. Joseph Farrell, Dr. P. O'Rooney, Mr. J. Ryan, Dr. M. Hopkins; Messrs. F. B. Meagher, J. J. Murphy, B.D.S.; F. O'Leary E. J. O'Brien, Ramonn Donohue, P. Mahenny, B. P. Devlin, B.D.S.; B. J. Lightfoot, T. A. O'Reilly (hon. treasurer) and M. J. Dunne (hon. secretary).

NORFOLK COLLEGE

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

The annual prize distribution of Norfolk College, Rathgar road, took place in Rathmines Parochial Hall, Belgrave square, Dublin, on Saturday afternoon. In her report the Headmistress (Miss E. G. Tapley) said that the work during the year had been very satisfactory. The College had been visited by two inspectors from the Department of Education and their reports had been "excellent."

They were anxious that their girls should not alone do well at examinations, but that they should grow up to be good citizens, aiming not merely to get what they could out of life, but to be able to bring something to others.

The Rev. W. C. Proctor, B.D., who presented the prizes, congratulated the Headmistress and staff on the excellent reports they had received from the Department inspectors and outside examiners. He complimented the girls who got prizes and offered a word of consolation to those who had not been among the winners. Prizes were not everything. They would have satisfaction in knowing that they had put in hard work. He was glad that the aim of the College was not merely to win prizes, but to develop in the girls qualities of good citizenship and neighbourliness.

A selection of songs was given by the junior school and was followed by a presentation of the operetta "Zurika" (the Gipsy Maid) by the pupils of the senior school.

DAWN TALENT FINALS

After weeks of searching, during which auditions and eliminating competitions were held throughout the country by Theatre Royal representatives, the finals of the Dawn Talent Competitions will be held at the Theatre Royal to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday. To-night the winners from Cork County, Cork City, Clonmel and Limerick will compete, and the two winners will take part in the final proper on Wednesday. To-morrow night the winners from the Dublin, Athlone and Wexford centres will be represented, and two more winners will be selected for Wednesday. The winners in the final will then be given a starring engagement in "The Beauty Cavalcade," commencing December 2nd. The adjudicating committee will consist of Miss B. Dillon, Mr. C. Wade, Mr. J. Lyons, and representatives from Dublin newspapers. The competitions will be held at the 8.30 show on each night.

Church Army Hut Opened.—At Omagh yesterday a Church Army hut was declared open by Mrs. Cullimore, wife of the Rev. Canon Cullimore, M.A., Rector of Drumragh. The new building, situated at Lismallard, cost £2,500.

STOCK EXCHANGE FEATURES

OUTLOOK FOR HOME RAILS

SUGGESTED SOLUTION TO U.S. GOLD PROBLEM

FROM OUR LONDON FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

NOT much effect has been produced upon the London Stock markets by the news that a further batch of American Securities is to be vested in the Treasury. The new regulation affects 177 stocks, which have been covered by previous orders, but have been registered since those orders were made. It is expected that part of the purchase money received for these Securities will be invested in War Bonds and Defence Bonds, but the primary object of the measure is to secure dollar currency to meet British purchases in the U.S.

The effect of the new vesting order may be seen more when payment takes place on December 16th, and the lack of response so far may be due to the latest reports from the Balkans. There is, however, no weakness in markets, and the Gilt-edged group still shows a measure of strength.

RAILWAY STOCKS

It is a little disturbing to learn that fresh wage demands are being made by railwaymen, even before the new charges to the trading and travelling public have come into force. It had been maintained that the increase already announced in rates and fares would not mean inflation any more than did the higher prices obtained by farmers in compensation for higher agricultural wages, but if railway wages are to be increased and the increase is met by stiffer charges we shall be told that the "vicious spiral" is again at work. The position strengthens the case for a complete revision of the agreement between the railways and the Government, and not merely an adjustment of the clause by which war damage exceeding £10,000,000 per annum can be met by raising fares. This clause will cease to operate when insurance against such damage becomes a national charge.

It must be admitted that the prospects of Home Railway stocks have been rendered more uncertain by the latest developments. The position stresses the need for an arrangement which would obviate the necessity of constantly raising rates against the public in order to meet claims for higher wages and better conditions. Such a plan would call for considerable ingenuity, but if it could be devised we should not see some Home Railway Prior Charge stocks which once were trustee investments standing at prices that promise a return of anything from 7½ to 10 per cent. or more to present purchasers.

Undoubtedly, Railway stockholders would welcome a change that made it possible to assess with some confidence the market value of the various securities. The industry is essential to the economic well-being of Great Britain, and the charge that the railways received particularly good treatment in the settlement with the Government cannot be maintained. The minimum net revenue guaranteed by the State while the lines are under Government control is £40,000,000 per annum, a sum equal to about 3 per cent. only on the many millions invested in this industry. Certainly it would be a pity if stockholders did not derive some real benefit from the fact that since September, 1939, the work of the railways has increased enormously.

E.P.T. EFFECTS

Some dullness in Industrial Ordinary shares lately was largely due to the disappointing dividend announcement of the important firm of Dorman Long and Co., for it is considered that this should be taken as a sign that many other big Industrial undertakings, even though they may be engaged directly or indirectly on work for the Government, will experience increasing difficulty in maintaining dividends in the future. In this respect the 100 per cent. excess profits tax is a very important matter, for there have been instances recently of an increase in gross profits being replaced by a decline in net profits when provision for taxation had been made.

It is unlikely, however, that holders of very sound shares in this group will be frightened into selling, for any setback in divisible earnings due to exceptional taxation would be regarded as temporary. Previously there was, perhaps, a disposition to carry prices of Industrial Ordinary shares to a level that could not be justified by the outlook, a movement that was helped by what has almost become a chronic market shortage of shares. The decline in prices makes the best industrial equities more attractive investments, and if it went much further fresh purchases on a large scale would probably be justified.

SUGGESTED NEW TRUST

A possible, if partial, solution of the gold problem of America is put forward by the Chairman of the Association of Investment Trusts. It refers to a scheme by which investors in the United Kingdom and the United States would be allowed to float a new investment trust to promote the sale of securities of both Governments, and the nationals in each country would subscribe equally for the necessary capital. The trust would borrow a large amount of the unused gold of the world at a low rate of interest and invest this in such a way as to obtain the best results for the world at large. It is held that in this way the investors of both countries would not only be enabled to place vast sums of money to the credit of their Governments, but would also obtain a reasonable return on their investments in Government Bonds. At the same time a stream of gold would be released, ever increasing in volume as it was recirculated by wise investment in the light of modern requirements. Presumably, the gold would be shipped to this side, and to that extent one of America's problems would be solved. There are probably big difficulties in the way of operating such a trust, but at least the experiment seems worth trying.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

Fine Cotton Spinners' and Doublers' Association.—The directors state that the improvement in trading conditions noted in the previous year has been maintained in the six months to September 30 last. Consideration of payment of dividend deferred until the results of the year to March 31, 1941, ascertained.

Henrietta Rubber Estate, Ltd.—Ordinary Stock interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, for the year.

Kamunting Tin Dredging.—Profit £210,397 (against £37,314). Final dividend of 7½ per cent., making 17½ per cent. (against 5 per cent.). Forward £54,825 (against £43,361).

Whitehead Iron and Steel Co.—Interim dividend on the Ordinary Stock of 10 per cent. actual (2/ per £1 unit), less tax.

IRISH WILLS

Mr. Thomas Joseph Mahony, of 21 Market square, Kilrush, Co. Clare, hardware merchant, who died on 23rd January last, left personal estate in England and Eire valued at £15,409. He left £200 to the Kilrush Conference of St. Vincent de Paul, £100 for Masses, £100 each to the Parish Priest of Doora, the Order of Oblates of Mary Immaculate, the Maynooth Mission to China, the African Mission, Cork, and the Monastery of Our Lady, Dublin.

Mr. Thomas Linnane, of Maysmore, Sandymount

PRESENTATION TO SENIOR JUSTICE

WARM TRIBUTES TO HIS WORK

DINNER OF SOLICITORS' BAR ASSOCIATION

THE annual dinner of the Dublin Solicitors' Bar Association in the Dolphin Hotel, Dublin, on Saturday night, when there was an attendance of 100 members and guests, was made the occasion of a presentation to Mr. E. J. Little, Senior Justice, as a token of the members' esteem and to mark his approaching retirement from the Bench. Mr. John P. Collins (President) was in the chair.

Amid much applause, Mr. John P. Collins, President of the Association, presented Mr. Little with an inscribed silver salver and a silver coffee set. He also presented Mr. Little with a substantial cheque for the Poor Box attached to the Metropolitan District Court.

The toast of "Ireland" was honoured.

BAR ASSOCIATION'S REGARD

Mr. Collins proposed the toast of "Our Guests," and said that they had all heard with regret that Mr. Little, Senior Justice, was retiring early next month. The Bar Association could not allow him to leave the Bench without taking with him a token of their regard and good wishes. His memory carried him back to the time when the Courts were presided over by the then magistrates. His experience, and, indeed, the experience of his colleagues, had long since convinced them that no one was more eminently fitted for the position of Justice than their good friend, Mr. Little. In him they had a Justice who was a gentleman to his finger-tips, a sound lawyer, most painstaking and courteous, always just, but never severe. No Justice ever made better use of the Probation Act than Mr. Little, and his kindness of heart enabled him on many occasions to take a course which prevented the wrong-doer from becoming a criminal, and enabled him to become a good citizen.

To the poor of Dublin, Mr. Little was always a great benefactor, and he would be sadly missed because of the great interest he at all times took in the Court poor box and in the wise application of its funds. They, the members of the association, would miss his genial presence and courtesy, his knowledge of the law and his wisdom, and the Bench would be poorer by his departure from it. They wished that he and Mrs. Little might enjoy many years of health and happiness.

Mr. E. W. Proud, seconding the proposition, said that there was no one to be thanked more for the law-abiding condition in which they found themselves than Mr. Little. He had set for his successor a very high standard and a splendid example.

MR. LITTLE'S REPLY

Mr. E. J. Little, in reply, said that he owed a good deal to the Chief Clerk (Mr. T. V. Cleary) and the staff. The secret of success was never to do all the work yourself. "Believe in those who are associated with you and keep a listening ear for their suggestions." Mr. Little paid a special tribute to the courts' probation officers, for whose establishment he might say he fought gallantly. Those who attended the court knew perfectly well that in defending young persons they would get the best interpretation and construction upon the acts by the justices in co-operation with the staff of probation officers.

Mr. Little also paid tribute to the National Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children; to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to other associations which helped the Court.

Referring to a Press tribute to him wishing that "his period of rest will be long," Mr. Little said:—"I hope to go back to the best of all clubs—the Law Library."

He thanked them for this token of their affection, which would be treasured by himself and Mrs. Little.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S APPRECIATION

Mr. Kevin Haugh, Attorney-General, said that, on behalf of a considerable number of guests, he would like sincerely and formally to convey to the Dublin Solicitors' Bar Association their thanks for the very kind invitation extended to them. He paid a warm tribute to the kindness and courtesy of the solicitors' profession, both in rural Ireland and in the city. They all regretted, he said, Mr. Little's pending retirement, but they wished to express their pride in him as one of the members of the Bar who had adorned with signal success the profession of District Justice and Senior Justice in Dublin. He was always spoken of in the highest possible terms, and if he returned to the Law Library he would be sure of the heartiest welcome from all his old friends.

Mr. Sean O hUadhaigh, solicitor, proposing the toast of "The Press," said that their highest duty to the public was to bring out the facts, and that duty was shared efficiently, honestly and courageously by the Pressmen. The Press performed a most essential service by showing what was happening in the world, and preventing the world from being humbugged into a line of action inimical to the facts.

AN APPEAL FOR ORPHANS

Pleading for charitable aid, to enable the Sisters of the Holy Faith to continue their support of 271 orphan children in St. Brigid's Home, Eccles street, Dublin, the Very Rev. J. J. Gilmartin, C.M., at last Mass yesterday, in St. Peter's, Phibsborough, said that poor people in a war-torn world were forced to ask the bitter question as to how millions of pounds were available for war purposes whilst mere thousands of pounds only were grudgingly given for peace purposes and to meet the needs and the rights of the poor. The unequal distribution of the world's goods in God's providence enabled those who had wealth to give to those who had none. The pleadings and prayers of the little orphan children, for whom the Sisters of the Holy Faith did so much charitable work, might be effective in the gaining of mercy and peace for a war-racked world.

RED CROSS POSTERS ON SHELTERS

The Irish Red Cross Society has obtained the permission of the authorities to place advertising matter on the overground shelters in Dublin.

It is suggested that the posters to be used will help to reduce the dangers which the shelters are said to constitute to motorists, and at the same time will brighten them considerably.

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

At the weekly meeting of the Dublin Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held at 29 South Frederick street, Miss Hillas presided. Also present:—Mrs. D. M. Large, Mr. F. S. Roberts, Mr. E. S. Cromie and Dr. Trevor S. Smith.

Seventy-seven dogs and one hundred cats were brought to the Home at Grand Canal quay during the week.

Subscriptions received:—Mrs. D. Mahony, 5s.; G. Pirrie, 10s.; Dr. W. S. Elliott, £1 1s 0d.; Miss E. Somerville, 5s.; G. H. Parkes, £2; Miss D. Hinkson, 5s.; Mrs. Dunbar, £1 1s. 0d.; "H. M.," £1; Miss Furlong, 10s. Collections—Miss A. G. Wilmot, £1 17s. 9d.; Miss H. MacMahon, £1 10s., Sale of work, 42 Dawson street to-morrow (Tuesday) and Wednesday, 26th and 27th.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE NOTES

MUSICAL SOCIETY'S COMING CONCERT

ESTABLISHMENT OF A SPANISH SOCIETY

By Our Correspondent.

THE work of reconstruction in 86 St. Stephen's Green is now in its final stages, and on Thursday last a meeting was held between the College authorities and representatives from the Students' Representative Council to consider various questions which may arise when the building is opened again. That this great work is now virtually completed is in large part due to the interest shown by the Reverend Professor Corcoran, S.J., in the whole project, and to the exceedingly energetic manner in which he has worked to secure its achievement. The allotment of rooms for the various societies and clubs is a matter which is being gone into thoroughly, and the subject of the restaurant has also claimed a great deal of attention, so that we can be sure it will be very efficiently run. In every way the authorities have catered for the students' interests, and the opening of "86" would make a tremendous difference to College life. The reconditioning of the building has been carried out on the most generous lines, and even as it stands at the moment it is quite unrecognisable from the dark house that was so well known in the past. For this the students have to thank Professor Butler, who was in charge of the architectural improvements. He has succeeded in filling the whole building with light, which, as a result of the structural alterations, comes in on all sides from the great windows. The fine old rooms and their magnificent ceilings are painted mostly in cream and white, and the effect is excellent. Perhaps the most striking feature of all, however, is the theatre, with its great height and severe design, the stage well raised and large enough for any play or musical production. It is not likely that we will have long to wait now, for everything points to "86" being in use early next term.

Professor R. M. Butler.

Mr. Roger McHugh, M.A., and Mr. Patrick Lynch, M.A., Director of the *National Student*, are at the moment carrying out a survey of literary talent in College with the object of securing material for both the *National Student* and the English Literature Society. Mr. McHugh is encouraging students attending English lectures to write something which would be suitable for either the "*Student*" or the "English Lit.," and Mr. Lynch has appealed for contributions to his magazine. There are a number of people in College with a flair for writing, but owing to extreme modesty their talents are hidden and benefit no one, least of all themselves. Mr. McHugh's efforts may go a long way towards unearthing hidden literary genius, and, if he meets with an encouraging response, it is probable that those willing to learn would be formed into a small club, which would receive weekly talks on the subject of writing. It is to be hoped that the response will be sufficiently encouraging, for nothing could be a greater asset to College than a small corps of good writers, which would be available for all College's literary productions, and which would in time extend its activities outside the walls of the University.

COMING CONCERT

The date of the Musical Society's concert has now been announced. It will take place on Monday, December 16th, in the Council Chamber, and the programme is a most attractive one. The choir and orchestra have already held a full rehearsal, and though there are still some rough passages, the performance was extremely enthusiastic, and promises to be really fine on the night of the concert. The soloist has not yet been selected, but a choice is likely to be made early next week. Dr. Larchet has devoted a great deal of his time to the preparations for this concert, but he will be well rewarded by the Society's success, especially in the great Brahms Choral Hymn, for a success it, undoubtedly, will be. Some weeks ago in writing of the Musical Society in these notes it was said that Dr Larchet had received the honorary degree of Mus.D. in Trinity College. That, of course, is quite incorrect. Dr. Larchet did take his Doctorate of Music in Trinity, but it was not a degree *honoris causa*.

The Commerce Society meets to-night, with its president, Professor Shields, in the chair. Last week it had a very full meeting for debate on the motion, "That Totalitarianism is the only hope for the future in Europe," with Mr. James F. Meenan, B.L., as chairman. The motion, or its equivalent, has already been debated at various societies in College, and many of the speeches made at the Commerce Society were not unfamiliar, but this defect was quite offset by a thoroughly comprehensive summing-up on the part of the Chairman. Mr. Meenan, unlike many others, had something to say—and quite definitely said it. On Friday of this week An Cumann Litearddha Gaedhilghe (the Irish Literature Society) will hear a paper read by Mr. Seán O'Faoláin, on 'How I started writing." On such a subject, Mr. O'Faoláin should be very interesting, and the meeting is likely to be well attended.

Professor Larchet.

An addition has been made to the list of College Societies in the shape of a Spanish Society, which is at the moment busy establishing itself. Already the Society has about thirty members, which is a surprisingly good start. This may be due to the fact that many students take Spanish instead of French when one language only is necessary in their course. The Society's meeting day is Wednesday, and the meetings take place in the Spanish Lecture Room. The President is Dr. Bannan, and Mr. J. E. Doyle is the Vice-President, while the officers of the Society are Mr. J. McCabe, Auditor; Mr. Roy Fawsitt, Secretary, and Miss Margaret Steevens, Treasurer. The Spanish Society will be run on the lines of other language societies in College, with the reading of papers on various subjects and the holding of informal discussions.

FUNERAL

MR. C. W. MULLOCK

The funeral of Mr. Charles William Mullock, 21 Connaught street, Phibsborough, Dublin, took place this morning from St. Augustine's Church, North Circular road, to Mount Jerome Cemetery. Mr. Mullock, whose death occurred after a brief illness, was for many years manager of Messrs. J. Woodrow and Sons, Ltd., Westmoreland street.

The Service was conducted by the Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs, assisted by the Rev. R. G. F. Jenkins and the Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. C. W. Mullock (widow); Messrs. H. W. Mullock and C. R. Mullock (sons); Miss F. E. Mullock (daughter); Miss J. Ebbs and Mrs. F. Thomas (nieces); Mrs. H. W. Mullock and Mrs. C. R. Mullock (daughters-in-law).

The attendance included:—Rev. J. W. Armstrong, Rev. B. Harvey, Mrs. H. Palmer, Mrs. Lang, Messrs. C. W. Henderson, S. B. Reade, A. E. Nicoll, Leonard S. Leeson, E. G. C. Leeson, H. Macnamara, W. A. Gillespie, S. Wilson, T. Matthews, W. J. Kendrick, J. Kennedy, B. W. Burgess, James Hall, W. E. Hall, R. Gilbert, A. Gilbert, W. C. McKee, E. Higgins, M. E. Higgins, F. G. Gillespie, F. J. Gillespie, J. Hunt, E. N. Smyth, J. Smyth, J. K. Lang, F. Montgomery, E. Plant, E. B. Gordon, G. J. McNeill, J. C. Miller, E. Morgan, G. J. Bates, S. R. Merrin, W. Morgan Cullen, E. V. Rowland, J. Rowland, C. Rowland, J. Morgan, J. A. Deakin, D. Deakin, C. Roberts, W. J. Beck, Miss E. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. William Smyth, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. M. E. Hall, Miss F. Wilson, Mrs. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. G. Glasse, Miss J. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hourie, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Oulds, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Kennedy, etc.

THIS WEEK'S FILMS

FILM SHORTAGE CAUSES ANXIETY

BY OUR CINEMA CORRESPONDENT

Merle Oberon

THE shortage of new films for Dublin's many first-run cinemas is causing the film trade here quite a lot of anxiety these days. Production in England has slowed up—in the case of some studios ceased altogether—and war conditions in England have upset the steady flow of Hollywood products to this country. Many of the film renting offices in Wardour street, the centre of Britain's film distributing organisation, have had to move out into the safety of the country, in some cases with skeleton staffs, and contact with their Dublin offices is slow and irregular.

Yet, it is an ill wind . . . Film renters and exhibitors in Eire may be having sleepless nights, but Dublin audiences are seeing the pick of what new films there are long before they have been screened in England. Many of the pictures which have reached here during the past month or two have been pre-released—that is, they have had their European premieres in Dublin cinemas—and some of them have been exhibited even before their London trade shows.

Many people attribute the increasing number of retentions in Dublin to the lack of new films, but they sometimes fail to realise that pictures like "Maryland," "Pride and Prejudice," "New Moon" and "Edison the Man" would have been retained anyway because of their success. And if there was the normal demand for films in England we probably should not have seen them until Christmas or the new year. New films this week are:—

SAVOY

When Merle Oberon and George Brent meet in a Hong Kong bar, gaze into one another's eyes, sip Paradise cocktails, and murmur a lingering farewell, even the most unskilled picture-goer can tell that they must meet again in a little paradise of their own. They do, but not in the one we expect.

Miss Oberon, it turns out, suffers from a fatal heart disease, and is on a perpetual tour of this world until she is called to the next; Mr. Brent is a convicted murderer, bound for the "hot squat," as the Americans so picturesquely put it. They meet again on a trans-Atlantic boat for a last sentimental journey—an interminable journey it would have been for audiences but for the antics of Eric Blore, an English lord; Binnie Barnes, a fake French countess, who regards Blore as her private Bank of England; card-sharping Frank McHugh; Pat O'Brien, an Irish policeman with a heart of gold; and the Irish star, Geraldine Fitzgerald, attractive, but so far as the story goes, unnecessary.

'Till We Meet Again will cause many women to sob gently, and many strong men to swear—and will probably pack the Savoy for at least a week.

CARLTON

There is a brilliant piece of dual-role acting by Stanley Ridges in **Black Friday.** Red Cannon, terror of the underworld, is shot by members of his own gang, and his plunging motor car fatally injures Ridges, a gentle professor of England in a provincial college. To save the life of his friend, Boris Karloff (without his horrific make-up for a change) grafts the brain of the gangster to that of the professor, with results that surprise even Karloff, and would have astonished Robert Louis Stevenson.

One part of Ridges's brain tells him to quote Tennyson and the other to break the backs of the members of Red Cannon's gang. He tries his hand successfully at both, and would probably have lived happily ever afterwards, teaching English to American youths, if Karloff had not tried to carry his experiments too far.

In the second feature, "I Can't Give You Anything But Love, Baby," Hollywood laughs at its own gangster films—and why not?

CORINTHIAN

Provincial life in the Middle West, dark doings at night, by candle light when the wind is howling, newspaper reporters-cum-amateur sleuths, and that modern craze, hill-billy music, are entertainingly mixed in a double-feature programme. In **Grand Old Opry** the Weaver Brothers solve the mystery of the murdered newspaperman (he was shot while duck hunting!), against a swinging background of entrancing tunes played by Ray Acuff and his Smoky Mountain Boys. Politicians crooked, politicians straight and politicians who attempt to address their electors from a jail cell are drowned in toe-tingling rhythm.

In "The Blake Murder Mystery" a "hick" reporter, egged on, but impeded at every step, by a post-graduate college girl, finds out whodunnit.

Neither films are a strain on the intelligence, but few people want brain fag at the pictures.

Theatre Royal

In **The Leather Pushers** Richard Arlen, whom we have not seen in pictures for some time, has the privilege of being won in a raffle by a good-looking woman reporter from a sporting newspaper. And a right good prize he proves to be; for he finishes up by winning the right to be contender for the championship title. The girl, you see, runs a camp for down-and-out boxers.

The background for the picture is the boxing ring, and there are fights enough to please the most bloodthirsty followers of the sport—not to mention a touching scene, in which Andy Devine, who has been stabbed

Laurence Olivier

by a crooked boxer, broadcasts encouragement from his hospital bed to Arlen in a championship bout.

Good fistic entertainment this.

Maryland (Metropole). Horses, the thrill of the hunt, and delicious negro comedy, beautifully captured by technicolour. Everybody should see it.

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Pride and Prejudice (Capitol), the screen adaptation of Jane Austen's famous work, is a charming period piece, with refreshingly witty and pointed dialogue. Also wholeheartedly recommended.

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New Moon (Adelphi). Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy sing thrillingly, but the less said about the story the better. But with you, perhaps it is the song that counts.

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Little Old New York (Theatre De Luxe), the film of the advent of the steam ship, which was so popular at the Metropole, features Alice Faye, Richard Greene, Fred MacMurray and Brenda Joyce.

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Edison the Man (Regal Rooms), a moving human documentary, gives Spencer Tracy his greatest part. Please see.

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The Count of Monte Cristo (Grand Central). A return of an old favourite. Robert Donat and Elissa Landi.

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Going Wild (Regent, Blackrock), a comedy with Melvyn Douglas and Irene Dunne, is co-featured with "Texas Stampede" until Thursday, when Annabella and Henry Fonda take over with "Wings of the Morning." Also "Viva 'Cisco Kid."

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Kameradschaft (Astor) is a re-issue of the famous German film of the coal mines, vividly photographed. Like all good continental films, has something to say, and says it artistically.

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The Other Half (Green) brings together Spencer Tracy and Loretta Young in a story set among New York's down-and-outs.

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My Man Godfrey (Grafton), one of the first and the best of the scatterbrain, bright young thing, comedies, with William Powell and Carole Lombard.

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Rovin' Tumbleweeds (Astoria, Glasthule), with Gene Autry, is presented with "Money to Burn" (a Gleason family comedy) until Thursday, and from then "Trade Winds," the Frederic March-Joan Bennett success.

Bela Lugosi

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Monday, November 25.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11 o'clock. For Hearings. In re W. Comp. Act—Young v. Roche and McConnell, Ltd.

CLARAITHOIR NA gCOIMIRCITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before the Registrar. At 11.30 o'clock—Bligh, minors, orig. summons; Feeney, minors, adj. summons; vouch and pass account, Fenton and Lyons; McLoughlin, minors, consider biddings; s. report, Longfield, Jameson and Hamilton; M. Jones, a minor, summons.

Before Mr. Magahan. At 11 o'clock—Vouch 6 a/cs., James Robinson.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 6. At 11 o'clock—Bank of Ireland v. Melia; T. Meatbe, decd., Hanbidge v. Coulter; J. Lawler, decd., Doran v. Mulhall; Pope v. Pope; Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland v. Prendergast; Cos. Act and Hugh Daly, Ltd. Motion—Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Harrington. Summonses—Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Murphy; Rooney v. Corrigan; Hibernian Bank, Ltd., v. Gavin; National Bank, Ltd., v. Brennan; same v. Curtin; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Bird; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Snodgrass; E.L. Acts and Lewis Settlt. For Tuesday, 26th November Actions—Belton v. Nicholl (at hearing); Ryan v. Shannon; Othausen v. Powderly.

In Court 2, at 11 o'clock. Motions—J. Ahearn, decd., Ahearn v. Ahearn; Cos. Act and Irish National Foresters Benefit Society; Provincial Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Quinlan; Hibernian Bank, Ltd., v. Halpin; J. Tully, decd., Toolan v. Costello. Garnishee—McEntee and ors. v. Murphy. Motions—M.G.W. Rly. Co. and Rynd; Peterson v. Peterson. Summonses—Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Devaney; McMullin v. Gordon; Agricultural Credit Corporation, Ltd., v. Murphy; Cooper v. McNevin; Hennessy v. Gibbons; Cooper and anor. v. Cooper and anor. Action (further consideration)—Dwan v. O'Meara. For Tuesday, 26th November. Circuit Appeals (Courts of Justice Act, 1936)—Cooke v. Cantwell; Newman v. Calton and anor.; Hesselberg v. same.

JURY ACTIONS.

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock—Brady v. Reynolds and anor. (probate); McGahern v. Kelso (personal injuries); Curry v. Monaghan Board of Health and Public Assistance (personal injuries). Jurors are required to attend in Court 1 at 11 o'clock this morning.

In Court 3, at 11 o'clock. Non-Jury. For Judgment—Mellor, Bromley and Co., Ltd., v. Irish Milanese, Ltd. Jury—O'Carroll v. Techan (slander); Oxley v. Bennett (personal injuries). For Tuesday, 26th November—O'Riordan v. Richardson (personal injuries); Cullen v. Duggan (personal injuries); Good v. Collins (personal injuries); O'Connor v. Kehoe and anor. (personal injuries); Gibson v. Hackett (personal injuries); Quinn v. Kinnear.

MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUIRTE
(The Master of the High Court).

At 11 o'clock—Motions of Course. Summonses—Fottrell v. Lambe; Rafter v. O'Kelly Rackley v. Rackley; Phillips Lamps, Ltd., v. Higgins; Oswald and Jamison v. Ross; Bogue, decd., appin. of Fitzpatrick. Motion on Notice—Skolnick v. Castle Hosiery Co.

BANKRUPTCY.

At 12 o'clock—Connolly, vouch account, C. B. W. Boyle; Bailey, vouch account, Collins and Son; Blackledge, vouch account, McKeever and Son; Wheeler, vouch account, Thompson and Edwards; Boyle, vouch account, Collins and Son; Boyle, vouch mortagee account, Collins and Son; Halpenny, vouch mortagee account, Collins and Son; Doyle, vouch account C. B. W. Boyle.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA
(The Taxing Master's Office).

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—A Ward of Court, E. and G. Stapleton. At 12 o'clock—Ritchie v. Murray, E. F. Collins and Son. At 2.30 o'clock—Flanagan v. Crean, Maurice Stanton and Sons; same v. same, W. G. Bradley and Sons.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Butler-Henderson Trust, French and French.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA hEIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)

At Examiners' Chambers, at 93 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Hewitt, settle schedule.

Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock — Gordon O'Neill, discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 12 o'clock—Headfort Estate Co., vouch. At 12.30 o'clock—Cuppage, vouch guarantee deposit.

At 89 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. Ryan, at 11 o'clock—Kathleen de Cart Johnson, vouch.

Before Miss Phelan, at 11 o'clock—John Healy, vouch.

At 24 Upper Merrion street.

Before Mr. P. Byrne, at 11 o'clock—Plunkett, discharge rulings and settle schedule.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.
Green Street Courthouse, Dublin.

Unsworn jurors need not attend until Tuesday next, 26th instant.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Shannon, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock a.m. For Judgment—Blowick v. Minister for Finance; Kennedy v. same. Motion—Frawley, a minor, v. O'Brien. Civil Actions—Horan v. O'Brien; Davis v. G.N. Rly Co. White v. G.N. Rly. Co. and Sisk and Son, Ltd.; Courtney v. same; O'Connor, an infant, v. same; O'Connor, Elizabeth, v. same; Wilkinson v. same; Graut v. same; O'Connor, Eileen, v. same.

AN CLARAITHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)

At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—Singleton v. Corrigan. O'Reilly v. Dooley; Hosey and others v. Malone; Scully v. Walton.

CUIRT DUITHCHE NA CATHRACH.
(Metropolitan District Court.)

For Tuesday, 23nd November. At Morgan place. Before Mr. McCarthy, at 10.30 o'clock—Undefended civil processes; undefended ejectment processes; undefended civil processes adjourned from previous Sessions undefended ejectment processes adjourned from previous Sessions; defended civil processes; defended ejectment processes.

For Wednesday, 23rd November. At Morgan place. Before Mr MacCarthy, at 10.30 o'clock—Defended civil processes adjourned from previous Sessions; defended ejectment processes adjourned from previous Sessions.

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SUGGESTED RIFLE CLUB SUBSIDY

MR. K. G. WALSH'S PLEA

A call for a Government subsidy for Irish rifle clubs was made by Mr. K. G. Walsh, president of the City of Dublin Rifle Club, at a luncheon and presentation of trophies in the Red Bank Restaurant on Saturday last.

Mr. Walsh said that it had taken a world war to make the authorities in this country—and, indeed, the whole people—rifle club minded. If there were hundreds of clubs, such as theirs, throughout the country there would be no necessity for the present "mad rush" of training for the Local Security Force. People would know how to clean a rifle; care for it, and, above all, shoot straight. The Government should follow the example of the authorities in Great Britain, the United States, and, even China, and subsidise rifle clubs. Even in the Isle of Man, a tiny country compared with theirs, a £100 grant was given to the local rifle clubs.

In the unavoidable absence of Superintendent D. J. Stapleton, Commandant R. L. Daly, of the Army, presented the trophies and responded to the toast of "Ireland," which had been proposed by Mr. Walsh. He said that members of the club shot for their own pleasure, but they had an ideal, too—they were prepared to fight for Ireland.

Mr. R. H. C. Boys, club statistical officer, proposed "Our Guests and Artistes," and mentioned the names of Lieutenant P. E. Williams and Quartermaster-Sergeant Healy, who were present, with Commandant Daly, to represent the Army.

Mr. R. W. Jameson responded.

The toast of "The Club" was proposed by Mr. S. Sinclair, and replied to by Mr. P. C. Folan, club captain.

All the members of the club belong to "A" Section of the Local Security Force.

PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES

The following trophies were presented:—The Championship (Boys Cup and Prize Replica), P. C. Folan; Inexpert Championship Cup, J. J. Freeney; Dewar Course Shield, P. C. Folan; Johnston Cup, K. G. Walsh; White Cup, P. C. Folan; Walsh Cup, R. H. G. Boys; Browne Cup, D. J. Walsh and Dr. M. E. Folan; Garnett Cup, R. H. G. Boys and K. G. Walsh; the McGouran Trophy, P. C. Folan; Bell Medal, R. H. G. Boys; Wexford Cup, P. C. Folan and M. McGouran; *Daily Mail* Certificate, M. McGouran; *News of World* Certificate, R. H. G. Boys; *Daily Telegraph* Certificate, D. J. Walsh; Century Cup, N. B. Folan; All-Ireland Championship Medal, P. C. Folan; Marksmanship, Mastershot, D. J. Walsh; Class A, N. B. Folan; Summer League Medals, P. C. Folan, M. McGouran, R. H. G. Boys, D. J. Walsh, Dr. M. E. Folan, K. G. Walsh. Remington Palma, R. H. G. Boys, M. McGouran, K. G. Walsh. Monthly Winners "White Cup" Spoons, P. C. Folan, 5; R. H. G. Boys, 4; K. G. Walsh, 3; M. McGouran, 2; Queen Alexandra Competition, P. C. Folan, D. J. Walsh, M. McGouran, K. G. Walsh, Dr. M. E. Folan, J. J. Freeney, N. B. Folan, R. H. G. Boys, J. Mason.

SPECIAL CRIMINAL COURT

DATE OF TRIAL FIXED

Mr. "X," a twenty-four-year old man, who was arrested at Sean McDermott street, Dublin, on November 14th last, was charged with membership of an unlawful organisation, possession of incriminating documents, refusing to give his name and address, and with refusing to give an account of his movements to the police.

Four other young men who appeared with him were Muiris MacCurtain, national teacher, Carrowroe Park, Roscommon, arrested at Kilteerin National Schools, who was charged with possession of incriminating documents and membership of an unlawful organisation; Joseph Dunne, 4F Iveagh Buildings, Bride street, and Thomas Connolly, 15 Blessington street, Dublin, charged with refusing to give an account of their movements, and James Dillon, 107 Marlboro' street, Dublin, charged with possession of incriminating documents and membership of an unlawful organisation.

The Court fixed their trial for Monday, December 2nd.

ARMS CHARGES AT ARMAGH

From Our Correspondent.

ARMAGH, Saturday.

At the Ulster Assizes in Armagh to-day, five young men were found guilty of being in possession of three machine guns, sixteen revolvers, two rifles and a large quantity of ammunition.

The men were: Patrick Donnelly, Alexandra Gardens, Portadown; James Greenaway, Ballinamoney, Lurgan; James Edward Tennyson, Bann street, Portadown; Patrick Alphonsus McCotter, of Sevastopol street, Belfast, and John McMahon, Obin street, Portadown.

The prisoners were put back for sentence.

WORKS OF VAUGHAN WILLIAMS

"Some Works of Vaughan Williams" was the title of an interesting lecture given on Saturday night last by Mr. F. C. J. Swanton, F.R.C.O., in the Royal Irish Academy of Music, Dublin.

The lecturer dealt generally with the composer's style, and the talk was illustrated by selections from the works of Vaughan Williams, including the Organ Prelude and Fugue in C minor and "Carol" (from the suite for viola). Gramaphone records of two workers were also played, the 4th Symphony in F minor (1932), being followed by Te Deum for Coronation of King George VI.

Mr. A. K. Roberts was the soloist in two vocal items, "I got me flowers" and "Love bade me welcome."

CITIZENSHIP SUNDAY

CANON SIMPSON ON THE UNEMPLOYED

Many civil institutions and societies connected with Dublin were represented at Christ Church Cathedral yesterday, when Citizenship Sunday was observed, special prayers being offered for the welfare of the city.

The morning sermon was preached by the Rev. Canon W. C. Simpson, M.A., who said that it was the greatest tragedy of their citizenship that Christian charity was a hindrance to Christian social justice. In Dublin the tendency to *laissez faire* was encouraged by the official sanction of gambling, which cut right into the heart of honest toil: the door was then kept open for a thoughtless, indiscriminate charity, and the path was barred to an intelligent process of social justice.

During the first six months of this year, he said, there was an average of some 21,000 registered unemployed at the Dublin Employment Exchange. There were three groups whose special responsibility was to provide work and to teach people how to work. These groups were the Government, the Labour Party and the Trades Union Council. All human endeavour must be brought within the ambit of citizenship if the purpose of God in Christ was to be loyally followed for His kingdom.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH

In St Bartholomew's Church yesterday was kept as Citizenship Sunday. Prayer was offered for those who are suffering through the social evils of our times, and also for the coming of a better social order. The preacher in the morning was the Rev. R. J. Kerr, the Rector of St. Michan's and St. Paul's, who spoke of the duty of the Church to care for men's bodies as well as their souls, Christ having taken upon Him a human body to bring about the world's redemption. Recent events having proved that every nation is able to afford the cost required to remove its social evils, what is lacking, he said, is the will to do so. The time is appropriate for making such a resolution as we pray God to stir up the wills of His faithful people.

The preacher in the evening was the Dean of Christ Church, who, pointing out the existence of ample cause for pride in our city, urged that its more sordid facts should not for that reason be overlooked. He pleaded that we, like St. John in the Book of the Revelation, should hold before us a vision of the ideal city to which we should strive to make our earthly city conform.

AIR TRAVEL BETWEEN IRELAND AND BRITAIN

CHANGE IN SERVICES

A change in the times of departure and arrival of 'planes engaged in the air service between Dublin and Manchester takes place from to-day. The alteration is due to the respective decisions of the British and Irish Governments to continue summer time during the coming months, and the amendment of the timetable began as from this morning.

Outgoing 'planes will leave Dublin at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. each day, and are due to arrive one hour and twenty minutes later at Barton, Manchester, where a coach will convey passengers to London Road and Victoria Stations, stopping at the L.M.S. office in Piccadilly and at the Midland Hotel *en route*.

A coach will leave the offices of Irish Air Lines, Upper O'Connell street, Dublin, at 9.15 a.m. and at 1.30 p.m. for Dublin Airport. In connection with the returning 'planes, coaches will leave Victoria Station, Manchester, at 9.30 a.m. and 12.50 p.m.; the L.M.S. Offices, Piccadilly, 9.35 a.m. and 12.55 p.m.; London Road Station, 9.40 a.m. and 1.5 p.m., and the Midland Hotel at 9.45 a.m. and 1.10 p.m. for Barton Aerodrome. The machines will leave at 11 a.m. and 2.30 p.m., arriving at 12.20 p.m. and 3.50 p.m. at Dublin Airport, from which a coach will convey passengers to O'Connell street, arriving at 1.5 p.m. and 4.35 p.m., respectively.

MEMORIAL PLAQUE ON CITY HALL

UNVEILED BEFORE LARGE CROWD

About three thousand Dublin citizens assembled outside the City Hall, Dublin, yesterday, to witness the unveiling of a memorial plaque that has been affixed to the front of the balcony on the street levels. It commemorates the deaths in Easter Week, 1916, of Captain Sean Connolly, Lieutenant Sean O'Reilly, George Geoghegan and Louis Byrne, who were killed while fighting on the roof of the hall.

A parade of five bands, many flags and banners, took place in St. Stephen's Green, whence bodies representative of the Citizen Army and Veterans of 1916, marched via Liberty Hall to the City Hall, where the Lord Mayor (Mrs. Tom Clarke) presided at the unveiling, which was performed by Mr. Sean Fitzpatrick, Secretary to the National Graves' Association. Earlier in the day Mr. Fitzpatrick also laid a wreath on the Manchester Martyrs Memorial in Glasnevin Cemetery.

A number of relatives of the four commemorated men were on the platform at the City Hall.

Captain Connolly's family was represented by Mrs. M. Connolly (mother), Mrs. McCarthy, and Kevin and A. Connolly (sons); Messrs. Joseph, Eamon, George and Matt Connolly (brothers); Mrs. E. Eady, Mrs. E. Farrell, Miss Vera Connolly and Miss S. Connolly.

Lieutenant O'Reilly's relatives were Miss A. O'Reilly and Mrs. B. Dunne (sisters).

The family of Louis Byrne was represented by Mr. L. Byrne (son), and L. and D. Byrne (grandsons); and the family of George Geoghegan by Mrs. M. E. Kelly and Mrs. C. Clooney (sisters).

Among others present were Dr. Kathleen Lynn, Miss ffrench Mullen, Miss Helena Molony, Commandant Sean Hanratty, Mrs. Partridge, and Lieutenant Dowling.

BALDOYLE RIOT CHARGES

ELEVEN MEN FOUND GUILTY

ONE MAN DISCHARGED

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MARTIN MAGUIRE.) AND A JURY.)

"What occurred at Baldoyle on the 14th May can only be described as an audacious outrage," remarked the Judge when addressing the jury on Saturday after four days' hearing of charges against George Hannigan, bookmaker, Dolphin road; James Winters, labourer, Coombe street; William Boyd, Army private, East Arran street; Joseph Craven, South James's street; Christopher Donoghue, Ceannt's Fort, Mount Brown; Patrick Murphy, labourer, Rialto Buildings, South Circular road; William Ryan, Garden lane; Laurence Campion, Ceannt's Fort; Patrick Curtis, Army private, Downpatrick road; Kevin Walsh, Ashe street; Joseph Browne, Ashe street; Peter Kennedy, Oliver Bond House, Bridgefoot street, arising out of a riot at Baldoyle Racecourse on the date mentioned, when Daniel Towell, a bookmaker's assistant, Killarney street, and Patk. Kinsella, Lower Kevin street, were w

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
DUBLIN OPERATIC SOCIETY
7.45 PRESENTS 7.45
"RIGOLETTO" (Verdi).
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WILLIAM POWELL—CAROLE LOMBARD, in
"MY MAN GODFREY."
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CORINTHIAN 2.30 to 11.
WEAVER BROS. and ELVIRY in "GRAND OLE OPRY," at 2.35, 5 o'c., 7.25, 9.50.
Also BLAKE MURDER MYSTERY.
At 3.51, 6.16, 8.41.

THEATRE DE LUXE.
Dublin's Super Cinema...3.30-11.0...Camden Street.
Alice Faye Richard Greene, Fred MacMurray in "LITTLE OLD NEW YORK."
Showing at 4.21, 6.49, 9.17.

QUEEN'S ANOTHER COMEDY HIT.
"GOING GAY," with HARRY BAILEY and the NEW COMEDY TEAM. At 3.55, 6.15, 8.30.
SCREEN:—CHESTER MORRIS in "WAGONS WESTWARD." At 2.40, 5, 7.25, 9.40.

ASTORIA Dun Laoghaire (Glasthule). Continuous, 3 to 10.30 p.m.
HIGGINS FAMILY:
"MONEY TO BURN."
JAS. GLEESON.
"ROVING TUMBLEWEEDS,"
With GENE AUTRY.
Showing at 3.32, 5.56, 8.20.

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REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. At 2.20, 4.37, 6.53, 9.9.
SPENCER TRACY, LYNNE OVERMAN, RITA JOHNSON, in
"EDISON THE MAN."

SAVOY. At 2.35, 4.50, 7.5, 9.20.
GEORGE BRENT, MERLE OBERON, PAT O'BRIEN, FRANK McHUGH, GERALDINE FITZGERALD, in
"TILL WE MEET AGAIN."

CAPITOL.
GREER GARSON, LAURENCE OLIVIER, in "PRIDE AND PREJUDICE,"
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FRIDAY NEXT: ON THE STAGE:
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REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1904-1927.
Take notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration of the Dublin Conservative Club
C. H. ROBINET, Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACTS
Take notice that I intend to apply for Renewal of the Certificate o. Registration of the All-Ireland Polo Club, Phœnix Park, Dublin.
Dated 22nd November, 1940.
T. W. KIRKWOOD (Major), Honorary Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACTS, 1904-1927.
Take notice that it is my intention to apply for a Renewal of Certificate of Registration of the FRIENDLY BROTHERS' HOUSE CLUB, situate at 22 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, in the District Court Area of Dublin
Dated 20th day of November, 1940.
L. C. FLEURY, Hon. Secretary.

The Irish Times

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1940.

James Craig

Viscount Craigavon was a typical Irishman. This fact may seem to be anomalous, but to some extent it explains, if it does not altogether vindicate, a remarkable career. The vicissitudes of party politics pitchforked this unusual man into a position which he never sought to occupy. He never desired a separate Parliament for the six counties of Northern Ireland, and protested throughout the long period of his Premiership that he would have preferred that the Northern province should remain as an integral part of the United Kingdom, subject directly to Westminster; but he accepted the idea of a subordinate Parliament as what seemed to him to be the less of two evils, and for nineteen years he remained Premier of Northern Ireland, working according to his lights for the good of the people whom he had been chosen to represent, and never ceasing to proclaim his passionate attachment to the British Empire. Lord Craigavon was not a great statesman—although his tenure of office as Prime Minister must be almost without precedent in any country. Yet he had many admirable qualities. He was honest to a degree; he was absolutely single-minded in purpose, and, if he had an inflexible mind, he had most of the virtues of his defects. James Craig had been a soldier with a fine record in the South African War. In common with most of his class in the North, he was caught up in the movement, headed by the late Lord Carson, whose right-hand man he became during the stormy days of the anti-Home Rule campaign, although he never achieved either the fame or the popularity of the late Earl of Birkenhead, who kept himself continuously in the limelight. When Lord Carson retired from active politics, Craig was recognised as his natural successor, and the mere fact that he was able to remain in office for so many years, and to outride so many national and international storms, is a tribute to the man's solidity of character. His place in Irish history will not be easy to determine. To a large extent he was a prisoner of his past. Steeped in the tradition of Ulster Unionism, he was wholly unable to accommodate himself to changed conditions in this country; and when he agreed to accept a separate Parliament for the six counties he was convinced that he had gone to the limit of concession to the bulk of his fellow-countrymen. He also was the prisoner of his party. As a leader he had certain undeniable gifts. He was able to interpret and express the views of those whom he led; but he lacked those greater gifts of constructive statesmanship which enable a leader to bend his followers to his will.

Lord Craigavon was not even a demagogue. He was not an inspiring orator, such as Carson; he lacked the magnetic qualities of a de Valera, and had few of the outward graces that make for popularity among the masses. Yet his rugged sincerity compelled admiration, even from those who disagreed from him most violently. He had a kindly disposition which, to those who knew him personally, outweighed his political obstinacy; for in his private life there was no more charming or sympathetic man. It has become customary to blame Lord Craigavon personally for the failure to bring about Irish unity during the last nineteen years; yet we doubt that any other man in his position—with the exception, of course, of a great statesman—could have pursued, with any hope of success, a policy different in any essential from that which he pursued. He believed that his duty was to keep Northern Ireland within the four corners of the United Kingdom, if needs be, even against the will of British politicians; and his famous phrase—"Not an inch"—epitomised his unyielding attitude. He was a Conservative to the core, by nature as well as by tradition and by training. He never could understand the political and social changes which came about as a result of the last war, and gave direction to events in the greater part of Ireland. South of the border young men were making a revolution, and drawing farther and farther away from the Act of Union and all that it implied. Lord Craigavon and his supporters failed completely to recognise the inevitability of those revolutionary changes in the twenty-six counties; but history will not throw all the blame for Irish disunity on their shoulders. They were—and the governing party in Northern Ireland still is—utterly rigid in their attitude towards the South; but have our political leaders in Eire been much wiser in their attitude towards the North? History will answer this question with cold impartiality. In the meanwhile, a staunch Irishman has passed from the scene of human striving. James Craig—for titular honours never seemed to fit comfortably on that rock-like figure—had weaknesses. For example, he never ought to have been a politician, since he lacked even the rudiments of intellectual subtlety. He was a leader only in a strictly limited sense of the term; but he followed his star as he saw it, and never was guilty of a mean or unworthy act. His death will create new problems in the six counties of Northern Ireland; for he leaves no obvious successor. For the better part of a generation he was the symbol of Northern Irish Unionism. His personality was the sheet anchor of a tradition that went back to the 'prentice boys of Derry; and the day may come when Ireland will remember him, as she remembers them, not without feelings of pride.

The Balkan Tangle

The week-end in the Balkans has been a time of diplomatic, more than military, activity. In Albania the Greeks continued their victorious drive against the retreating Italians. Koritza, which fell finally on Friday morning, is now under Greek military law, and Greek police have taken over control of the streets. Latest *communiqués* from Greek headquarters say that the army has advanced up to eleven miles west and north-west of Koritza, while in the south the heights of Argyrokastro, dominating the main Italian base in that sector, also have been occupied by Greek forces. The British Air Force, operating from Greek bases, has bombed harbours, ports and military objectives generally in many parts of Italy. Arms and ammunition from British bases in Egypt and the Near East are being poured into Greece both by ship and by aeroplane—one Press correspondent describes the arrival in Greece of several convoys of flying-boats guarded by accompanying fighter machines; and the British during the week-end made several heavy bombing raids on the Dodecanese. The Italian Navy, at the same time, has been showing considerable activity, having shelled the fortified Greek islands of Samos, Corfu and Cephalonia. Despite the importance—to both sides—of all these military operations, however, they are as nothing compared with the political undercurrents which have been disturbing the sleep of Europe during the last couple of days. The latest addition to the continental *bloc* against Britain is Slovakia. Dr. Tuka, the Prime Minister, signed the now usual protocol in Berlin yesterday morning. It is now only a matter of time before General Antonescu appends the name of Rumania, and the Bulgarian Premier and Foreign Minister, Messrs. Filoff and Popoff respectively, are leaving Sofia to-day for talks with the Fuehrer. Within a day or two, therefore, the world may expect Bulgaria also to have joined the "Axis," thus extending Germany's "sphere of influence," for all intents and purposes, down to the borders of Turkey. The Turkish Government has declared a state of martial law throughout its European territory. Things, therefore, are coming to a head in South-Eastern Europe, and no man can tell what momentous events will shake the world before another week has passed. A few days ago it seemed inevitable that Herr Hitler would throw strong reinforcements into Albania to assist his good friend, Signor Mussolini; but instead of military assistance in Albania he has chosen to apply political strategy in other fields. At the moment all eyes are turned on Turkey. Herr von Papen, who arrived in Ankara fresh from Berlin on Saturday, yesterday visited the Turkish Premier and Foreign Minister, and reports from the ubiquitous well-informed circles state that he presented conditions under which Turkey would be received into the new *bloc*. What other offer could he be expected to make on his first visit? Another report says that a Turkish military *attaché* has left by aeroplane for Berlin. The world will wait anxiously for official news from Ankara. The Turks are determined to remain neutral. They have declared that they will fight to the last man to protect the neutrality of the Turkish nation and territory. They seem now to have come to the brink of war. The Turks are a proud people, and upon their decision a great deal of the future of this war will depend.

The District Courts

At the annual dinner of the Dublin Solicitors' Bar Association on Saturday night a presentation was made to the retiring Senior District Justice of Dublin city, Mr. E. J. Little. References were made to the regret that would be felt at Mr. Little's retirement; those at the head of the Department of Justice well might be regarding Mr. Little's impending retirement with alarm. In recent years the confidence of the public in the courts of summary jurisdiction has been severely shaken. Judicial eccentricities formed the subject of several references in Gilbert and Sullivan opera. They were commonplace sixty years ago, and apparently they must be accepted at all times as an inevitable part of a system that depends upon individuals who are given a great deal of freedom from interference in the exercise of their powers. In this country, however, some of the individuals vested with judicial authority have over-stepped the permitted bounds of eccentricity by throwing the law out of their courts. Their decisions in certain matters are appealed automatically, and the appeals are automatically granted. Even in the name of religion there has been much buffoonery on the benches of District Courts. Those are not the only faults in the administration of the lower courts. The slowness of various District Justices, their obvious difficulty in grasping the facts of the cases brought before them, and the very small knowledge of law revealed in their exchanges in court have reduced members of the legal profession almost to despair at times. In the midst of the doubts and uncertainties of the system Mr. Little was a rock of solid sense, sound law and charitable instinct. He brightened his court with witticisms from time to time, but his witticisms had the merit that they were funny. Occasionally his decisions in school attendance cases were regarded as severe. In his court, however, there was no confusion, no delay, no aimless argument about things that were already clear, no decision that was not based on law, common-sense and humanitarian promptings. It is a simple statement of truth that he towered above his colleagues. Mr. H. A. McCarthy, who is, we understand, to be one of the metropolitan District Justices in future, can be welcomed without reserve. We have insufficient experience of him to comment on his legal qualifications; but he is efficient, intelligent and free from garrulity.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"TACK" DOWDS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The news of the death of Mr. A. E. Dowds, formerly mathematical master at St. Andrew's College, Dublin, has just reached East Africa, and I feel that it is fitting that some mention should be made in your paper of the sorrow which this news must have aroused in all old St. Andrew's men scattered in the four corners of the globe. "Tack" Dowds had the deserved reputation in his day of being the best teacher of mathematics in Ireland. He had that reputation not only among his pupils and ex-pupils, but among his colleagues, not only in St. Andrew's, but in other schools in Ireland. His capacity as a teacher rested not so much on his academic knowledge as on his understanding of the mentality of boys and on his ability to drive knowledge of a difficult subject into their heads, without sacrificing his remarkable personal popularity and yet maintaining the strictest discipline and order.

I personally was coached by Dowds in a most intensive fashion for two years, with results which have left me under a debt of gratitude which can never be repaid. I met him when at home last year. We played golf together at the Grange and had several long talks. Although retired from active teaching, he was doing much work as a coach, and he could talk of nothing but mathematics and the art of teaching it. I well remember the pleasure it gave us both when I told him that I had been so thoroughly drilled by him that I believed I could still prove almost any proposition in Euclid although I hadn't opened a geometry book for seventeen years. He put me to the test in exactly the same manner as if I had been standing before his old blackboard in the Drummonds, and, of course, was able to point out exactly where I went wrong!

We shall not look upon his like again. He represented a type of schoolmaster who was utterly devoted to his calling and who could undoubtedly have gone far in other and more lucrative fields. But personal ambition was nothing to him; he cared nothing for worldly wealth, but he has left behind him a legacy of goodwill and gratitude which no wealth could ever have bought him.—Yours, etc.

J. F. G. TROUGHTON.
The Secretariat, Nairobi, Kenya,
September 30th, 1940.

GIFTS OF BUTTER

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I, through the medium of your paper, make a suggestion to the "powers that be" *re* the butter restriction?

I suggest that the post offices be given instruction to accept parcels of butter, not exceeding one pound, for one week, some time between this and Christmas.

This would bring welcome revenue to the Post Office (which must be badly hit at present), while it could not greatly reduce the quantity of butter in Ireland.

Such a concession, though heavily taxed by the sixpenny postage, would cause great satisfaction at Christmas time to many who have loved ones across the sea.—Yours, etc.,

A. M. BRERETON.
Rathurles, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary,
November 23rd, 1940.

FROM "THE TIMES"

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

KORITZA AND AFTERWARDS

The Times, in a leading article to-day, says:—The fate of a battle or of a campaign is not a simple sequence of events to which a single cause can be assigned. It is governed by several factors, both moral and material, which affect both sides in the contest. The victory won by the Greeks over which their country is so justifiably rejoicing, conforms to this rule. First and foremost, we may fairly say that it is due to the courage, tenacity and dash of the Greek forces; to the manner in which the Greek command penetrated the intentions of the enemy and adapted its disposition not merely to check them, but also to exploit them to their own advantage, and to the training of and natural aptitude for mountain warfare of the Greek Army. The unexpected fashion in which the Greek Air Force stood up to the numerically far superior strength of the Italian must also not be forgotten. The aid of the R.A.F. was probably decisive, because in addition to the value of its material co-operation it at once established a moral ascendancy. On the Italian side the causes of defeat are equally diverse. The plan seems on the face of it to have been indifferent, a mixture of timidity and rashness. The tactics on the ground were so far as can be judged no better; the air tactics, obviously, were not. In the brief opening period before Great Britain had established air bases in Greek territory well-handled air support might have had a far-reaching effect in support of the attack.

COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR*.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Sunday.

The King and Queen attended Divine Service this morning.

The Duke of Gloucester, attended by Major Howard Kerr, was present at the opening of Parliament by the King on Thursday last.

The Duke of Kent attended the opening of Parliament by the King on Thursday last.

The Duchess of Gloucester, attended by Miss Eva Sandford, visited units of the Northamptonshire Regiment last week.

Viscount Dunedin celebrated his ninety-first birthday last week.

Sir Hugh Seely, who has undergone an operation, will be unable to attend to his duties for some days.

Lady Antoinette Conyngham is with her parents, the Marquis and Marchioness of Conyngham, at Amat.

Mr. J. Wallace, formerly of Tipperary, has become a Steward of the South African Turf Club at Durban.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wall are now residing at Loughlintown, County Meath.

Dr. Paul F. Murray has left 27 Westland Row for one week.

Switzers are showing a charming collection of Coats for smart wear, beautifully trimmed with Fox, Mink and other distinctive Furs.

At Miss Doran's Salons, Dawson st., this week will be shown a beautiful collection of Dinner, Afternoon, Day and Evening Frocks. Summer Ermine, Musquash, Indian Lamb, etc., etc., Fur Coats, Fur-trimmed Coats, Race Meeting Kits, Millinery. All accessories for smart wear.

Jenny Wrenn has received a new and lovely collection of Twin Sets and Jerseys.—17 South Anne street.

Fashionable Spectacles at Moderate Prices Pollock and Co., Ltd., 50 Grafton street.

Chiropody: All Foot Troubles. N. Devitt, M.N.I.Ch., M.N.S.Ch., M.N.L.M., 5 Wicklow st.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Bouffant Evening Gown of White Lace, with wide sash of delicate pink, at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

At her recent wedding Miss Marjorie Burrows wore a copper-coloured ensemble, handsomely trimmed with Indian Lamb and bronze ornaments, and hat to tone exactly. (Slyne and Co., Ltd.)

The wedding ensemble worn by Miss Ina Smyth was of Iris-blue Angora, with silver fox furs and turban of velvet. (Slyne and Co., Ltd.)

Winter Shoes for Children.—Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., 26 Stephen's Green and branches.

Griffiths, the Shoe people, are transferring their Children's Shoe business from 66 South William street to very much larger premises at 20 Wicklow street (late Model Engineers), where they will be showing an attractive range of Slippers and Party Shoes.

TO LADIES.—Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances, Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings stretching both ways.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton street.

Sharpley's Specialist, Baby Linen, Nursery, Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau St., Dublin.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.30—Light Music. **6.40**—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. **6.45**—News. **7.0**—Irish Radio Orchestra (Conductor, Capt. J. M. Doyle): Occasional Overture (Handel), London Symphony (Haydn). **7.30**—Clár do'n Gaedhealtacht: "Eanlaith an Aeir"—Amhráin is duanta 'na dtaobh ó Mháire Ni Cheallachain agus a cuallacht. **8.0**—Act I. "The Arcadians" (Monckton-Talbot) by the Cork Operatic Society, relayed from the Opera House, Cork. **8.45**—Book Talk: W. B. Stanford. **9.0**—Light French Music. **9.30**—"Radio Blarney," presented by Tony Cahill. **10.0**—Nuacht (News). **10.10**—English. **10.30**—"Round the Fire."

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7—Time: News. 7.15—Records. 7.30—Exercises. 7.50—Records. 7.55—"Lift up your Hearts!" 8—Time: News. 8.15—Talk on Food. 8.20—Piano Recital. 8.40—Records. 9.15—Orchestra. 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Time: Service. 10.30—Orchestra. 11—Schools. 12—Band. 12.30—Concert. 1—Time: News. 1.15—Postscript. 1.25—Dance Music. 1.50—Schools. 3—Records. 3.30—Orchestra. 4—Talk. 4.15—Orchestra. 5—News: Excerpts from Play (in Welsh). 5.20—Children's Hour. 6—Time: News. 6.30—News (Norwegian). 6.45—"David Copperfield." 7.15—"Carolina." 7.40—"Taking Stock." 8.—"Dandy Lion." 8.15—Syd Walker. 9—Time: News. 9.20—Samuel Butler (Portrait). 10—Dvorak Concert. 10.45—Short Story. 11—Dance Music. 12—Time: News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—Records. **7**—Time: News. **7.15**—Records. **10.30**—Light Music. **11**—Time: Records. **11.30**—Orchestra. **12**—Variety. **12.15**—News (French). **12.30**—Concert. **1**—News (Dutch). **1.15**—Dance Music. **1.50**—Theatre Organ. **2.15**—Orchestra. **3**—B.B.C. **4**—Song Cavalcade. **4.15**—Swing Programme. **4.45**—Variety (for Canada). **5.15**—Magazine. **6**—News (Dutch-French). **6.30**—New Zealand News. **6.40**—Dance Music. **7.15**—Kentucky Minstrels (2). **8**—B.B.C. **9**—News (German). **9.20**—Light Music. **9.45**—News (Canada). **10**—Time: Melody Programme. **10.20**—Dance Music. **11**—Close down.

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, November 25, 1915.

Battle Near Bagdad.

The India Office reports that General Townshend's Division of the Bagdad Expeditionary Force, after severe fighting, lasting all day Monday, captured a Turkish position at Ctesiphon, 16 miles from Bagdad, with 800 prisoners. The British casualties are estimated at 2,000 killed and wounded.

On Wednesday night heavy Turkish counter-attacks were repulsed, but yesterday want of water necessitated our retirement three or four miles to the River Tigris.

Allies' Demands Conceded.

It is announced from Athens that the Greek Government has replied to the Allies' Note, conceding the demand that there shall be no disarmament of the Allied forces and ensuring their liberty of action on Greek territory.

Armies Massing on Kossovo.

Telegraphing from Paris on Wednesday, the correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle* says:—

The Salonika correspondent of the *Journal* telegraphs that the Serbian Army, having decided to maintain a mere curtain of troops against the Austro-Germans, have massed an army of 90,000 men on the plain of Kossova. They will hurl this army against the 120,000 Bulgars guarding the defiles of Kachanik and Kourtchon.

ART IN PARIS OF THE TWENTIES

THE INTENTIONAL AND THE CLASSICAL

Speaking on Saturday last at Mr. Patrick Hennessy's exhibition at 7 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, on "Paris in the Twenties," Mr. Arthur Power, the well known County Waterford author and art critic, contrasted the merits of the intentional and classical viewpoints in art and life.

Mr. Power spoke of the scorned and nerve-tortured Modigliani, surrounded by unsold canvases which since had become landmarks in the history of modern art; of Zadkine, and of Picasso and Matisse. Paris in the twenties, he said, was a period of brilliant upheaval. Stravinsky was acclaimed as a genius by a small coterie, but had been hissed off the stage by a public which refused to accept his music. These artists had grown weary of outworn classicism. They believed that genuine art could only be achieved by the complete abandonment of logic and reason. They turned from the faultless perfection of the Renaissance to the exotic sensationalism of Congo sculpture, from the measured rhythm of Beethoven to the savagery of the tom-tom.

Now, concluded Mr. Power, they had arrived at the back swing of the pendulum. Reason was returning to art; the instincts had failed to justify the lack of balance and sanity, and somewhere between the extreme of the instincts and the coldly logical lay the future for art.

LONDON LETTER

BRITISH CREDIT HIGH

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

AIR activity over London has been lighter during the week-end, though there have been several raids by day and night, but their extent has been less than on recent days. Incendiary and high explosive bombs have been dropped in or near London, and damage has been caused; but, fortunately, some of the high explosive missiles fell in places where they did not cause much injury to people or property. One large bomb fell in a cemetery and another on a piece of open ground near a church. An attempt to reach London was defeated, and it has been apparent that on several occasions during the week-end the raiders have had to change their course in consequence of the defensive measures taken.

British Credit High

The remark of Lord Lothian, the British Ambassador to the United States, on his return to New York yesterday from a visit to this country, to the effect that "Britain is beginning to come to the end of her financial resources," has caused a little stir in some quarters here; but it would appear that he was speaking of the gold and dollar securities in the United States and their relationship to the system whereby Britain has to pay cash in advance for all munitions purchased in the United States. The payment of cash in advance is not a principle that can be carried on indefinitely in circumstances such as the present, and it is no sign of weakness for it to be acknowledged that the demand for cash in advance should be reconsidered. The British suggestion may even be taken as a sign of strength rather than of weakness, since it may be interpreted as a notification that British credit is high enough to warrant some relaxation of the rigid principle of cash with order.

A Secret Session

The debate on the Address from the Throne in the House of Commons will be divided into three sections—the first of a general character and the second concerned with war production and man-power—the principal speakers being Mr. Arthur Greenwood and Mr. Ernest Bevin. The third stage will be a secret session for the discussion of the equipment and strength of the Army, when Mr. Eden, the War Secretary, will explain the measures taken for carrying on offensive operations. In this connection there has been a marked revival during the week-end in the calling up of men for medical examination. Some who registered months ago will appear before medical boards in the next few days, and some of the "twenties" who registered on the 9th of this month received their papers yesterday to attend for medical examination, and within the next few days they will have been placed in their respective categories. Apparently those who have expressed a preference for the Royal Air Force are being taken first, but those who chose the Navy or the Army are also to be examined without delay.

Women War Workers

Women members of Parliament are taking an active part in the campaign to recruit an additional 500,000 women workers in the munition industry, and it is suggested that one of their number should be appointed Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Labour and National Service, so that questions dealing with the war work of women may be answered in the House of Commons by a woman member. At present there are two women Parliamentary Secretaries—Miss Ellen Wilkinson at the Home Office and Miss Florence Horsbrugh at the Ministry of Health. Should the Prime Minister decide to appoint a woman Parliamentary Secretary to Mr. Bevin, the name of Miss Irene Ward, who presides over the Woman-Power Committee of the women members of Parliament, is mentioned as the most likely selection.

Air Raid Warnings

An important change in air-raid warnings in London came into operation to-day, and it is likely to be followed in other districts. Hitherto when the air-raid sirens have sounded the wardens have blown their whistles to reinforce the sirens, but from now the wardens will not sound their whistles at night-time, and in the day-time they will blow them to denote immediate danger. It is being left to the discretion of the wardens as to what constitutes immediate danger, but, as a general rule, it may be taken that the presence of enemy aircraft in the vicinity will be known to them, and that they will work in co-operation with the spotters who are stationed on the roofs of many factories and workshops and other large buildings. This system came into operation in the whole of the Metropolitan Police area, which extends as far out as Epsom, and it was not long before the sirens sounded; but, fortunately, in the particular part of London in which I was located at the time the wardens' whistles did not give a warning of immediate danger.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Bombs Strike Twice

During the last war there was a saying that bombs—like lightning—never struck twice on the same place. Lately, however, the bottom was knocked out of that little legend.

A London colleague has been telling me that a short time ago bombs fell in a Kentish garden on the same spot where the first bombs were dropped in 1914. The 1914 bombs were launched from a German seaplane—the first to raid England—on Christmas Eve, 1914. The seaplane afterwards explored the Thames as far as Erith before being chased away.

The bombs, which were dropped recently in the same garden, had the same result as those dropped twenty-six years ago—no damage and no casualties.

During the four years of the last war, incidentally, the total number of raids on Great Britain was 103. There are almost that number in a month nowadays.

Mr. Wrenne

There was recently a passing reference in the Diary to Mr. Joseph Wrenne, Secretary to the Cork County Council. I doubt if there is any more able official in the Local Government service, and I am fairly sure that there is none more versatile. It is some time now since he deputised for Professor James Hogan, who occupies the History Chair at University College, Cork. It is also some years since, under the pseudonym Maurice Dalton, he wrote a number of plays. I seem to remember that two of his plays, "Sable and Gold" and "Mary Margaret," were produced in the Abbey Theatre.

More recently I was pleased to find further evidence of his versatility, this time in the field of sport. Mr. Wrenne's literary and administrative preoccupations have not cramped his golfing style; for he is the possessor of the useful handicap of seven.

Foul Weather Golf

Fellow-members of Little Island Club, on Cork Bay, find Mr. Wrenne a very formidable opponent on that handicap, even in the best of weather. I am told, however, that he almost ranks in the scratch class when the weather goes to pieces. The winds and the rains appear to be his friends and allies. The greater the hurricane and the heavier the deluge, the more certain it becomes that his opponent will bite the mud.

As the foulest weather has no terror for him, there is no close season in Mr. Wrenne's golfing calendar. Perhaps that is unfortunate in view of his literary abilities. The elements have been responsible for much creative work by driving folk home to the comfort and quietude of their studies. The pen may not be mightier than the brassie, but it has a wider community interest when well wielded.

Cloaks

I have noticed recently several men wearing cloaks in the city, and this has led me to wonder whether a revival of the cloak for men is imminent. There are advantages in a cloak which are not to be found in overcoats, and it is probably the most graceful garment that ever formed part of the male wardrobe.

The voluminous Italian cloak is particularly suitable for our climate, and a well wrapped cloak is much warmer than the heaviest coat, and much more convenient to wear and carry.

Recently I came across a cloak which was made in Dublin in 1905 for the High Sheriff of the county. He was either a very tall man, or else wore his cloak to his ankles. It has a heavy lined cape, which could be buttoned, and extended half way down the back of the cloak. The whole thing is in a very good state of preservation, well made of some smooth black material, and lined with white silk.

At present it is being used as a stage costume. The Leader in the recent New Theatre Group production, "On the Frontier," wore it, and it looked quite the thing for a Dictator. I have no idea, however, how it came to form part of the stock of a theatrical outfitter.

Bees as Messengers

The Chinese, I hear, are harnessing bees for war work—using them to carry messages, as the soldiers in Europe use carrier pigeons. The writing or plan is photographed, apparently, then reduced very much in size, and attached to the body or leg of the bee. The writing is then so small that when it reaches its destination it can only be read with the aid of a microscope.

These swift and almost invisible messengers can always be relied upon to fly back to the hive where their queen is, and are said to be more satisfactory than pigeons.

And, talking about that sort of thing, I hear also that cock pheasants are being employed as air raid sirens in certain parts of England!

Cock pheasants have a remarkably keen sense of hearing, and one game farm in Gloucestershire is selling birds now not for eating or breeding as heretofore, but because they have sharp ears, nervous temperament, and loud voices. The birds, when kept near the house, never fail to crow loudly if there is a sound of aircraft for miles around, and the noise, when they hear it first, is usually so far away as to be completely inaudible to human ears.

Dr. R. Foster Kennedy

Dr. R. Foster Kennedy, F.R.S., Edin., who recently broadcast from the U.S.A. to Great Britain in the series known as "Friendship Bridge," is an old student of Queen's University, Belfast, I learn, and is now President of the American Neurological Association. For many years he has been a professor in Cornell University. He was originally a native of Belfast—a grandson of the late Dr. R. F. Dill, former Coroner of Belfast and a professor in Queen's University, Belfast.

Dr. Kennedy took an active part in arousing American public opinion in support of the sending of the fifty over-age destroyers to Great Britain.

He was in charge of a hospital in France during the 1914-18 war and is an outstanding figure in the medical world to-day.

QUIDNUNC.

NEWS SUMMARY

Lord Craigavon, Premier of Northern Ireland for nearly twenty years, died suddenly last night.

£3,368 has been received by the *Irish Times* for the relief of distress in Athlone. The ninth list, published to-day, represents a sum of £163.

By a protocol, signed in Berlin yesterday by the Prime Minister of Slovakia, that country now joins the Axis Powers.

Messages from Athens last night claimed that the Greeks had taken hills dominating Argyrocastro, and in the northern end had continued past Koritza.

In the course of an interview on his return to Washington from England, Lord Lothian (British Ambassador) is reported to have said that Britain's financial resources were nearing exhaustion. It is explained, however, that the phrase was an "unfortunate" one, intended merely to indicate the rapid liquidation of British gold and securities at the moment available in the United States. Lord Lothian's words are displayed prominently in the New York newspapers, and in Italy and Germany they are interpreted as indicating Britain's bankruptcy.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	9. 7	9.10
Sets	5.16	5.15
Lighting-up Time	5.46	5.45

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	8.40	9.35
Evening	9. 5	10. 1

WEDDING

THE REV. W. M. CARGIN AND MISS KATHLEEN BAKER

At the Holy Trinity Church (Christ Church), Cork, on Saturday, the Rev. W. M. Cargin, Presbyterian Minister at Limerick, and son of the late the Rev. J. Cargin, of Londonderry, was married to Miss Kathleen Baker, daughter of the Rev. G. S. Baker, Rector of Christ Church, and Mrs. Baker. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Canon Harman, Rector of Coach

GERMAN WAR PLANS

EFFECT OF GREEK VICTORY

BY OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT.

IT will be recalled that, some six or seven weeks ago, "A High German Air Force Officer" announced at a Press Conference the five-fold aim of his Command in the attack on Britain. We shall repeat them for the sake of clearness:—

1—Control of the Channel and English coast.
2—Progressive and complete annihilation of London.
3—Progressive paralysis of Britain's technical, industrial and civil life.
4—Demoralisation of the civil population.
5—Progressive weakening of the British fighter force.

At the present time the luft-waffe is concentrating on No. 3. Hardly a night passes without some big industrial centre being heavily attacked—Coventry, Birmingham, etc. The damage is probably considerable, because A.A. defences of all kinds must, naturally, be less complete than in London. This will continue all winter, unless and until the defences in question develop. The only present answer for the British is to counter-bomb as they are doing. The new giant American 'planes will increase the radius of this action, and the new bomb-sights will improve its accuracy. Beyond that there is not much possible at the moment.

Regarding the other four aims, it can now be fairly said that no important headway has been made so far. Regarding the Channel, the British can claim equality in the air and superiority on the water. The fighter force has certainly not weakened. By the way, it seems that the Polish 303 Squadron is the most successful of all those engaged in the London defences. The city itself is by no means everywhere damaged, and its problems are being efficiently tackled. The population, by reason of the very frequency of the raids, are definitely less likely to be demoralised than people elsewhere. And it would be only in the capital that civilian demoralisation could conceivably have any material influence on the course of events.

THE BIG GUNS

Latterly there has been an appreciable added element to the air-raids in the shape of increased shelling across the Channel. Not merely has Dover and the vicinity been shelled repeatedly, but the district south-east of London has been shelled at least once. Presumably Chatham, Gravesend, Greenwich, Woolwich, etc., were the targets. There is nothing out of the ordinary in this for a Paris or super-Paris gun, but it is unlikely that there are sufficient quantities of this type of artillery for really important results. The cannonading of Dover is another matter, and air-bombing as well as counter-battery fire has been used to answer it.

Despite the heavy demands for home defence, the British have managed to get across to the Near East a certain quantity of reinforcements in men and material. According to an Italian estimate which seems reasonably likely—the British forces in Egypt number some 300,000 men, and it must be remembered that they are better trained than many of those elsewhere—nor have they experienced really serious reverses. Finally, the Greek victory in Macedonia cannot fail to have its effect.

Up to the Italian defeat in Greece their preparations for a renewal of the Egyptian advance had proceeded normally. In view of the particular nature of the problems a long halt was to be expected. There was no reason to expect any other course. Now, however, it is quite possible that the situation may be radically changed. Quite likely the Egyptian campaign will become directly affected—in the sense that reinforcements and supplies earmarked for Libya may have to go to Albania instead. Or, at least, Albania may take priority for the time being. If that is so, an enterprise originally undertaken to further Graziani's operations will have the direct opposite effect.

It seems probable that a month ago the Italian effectives in Albania amounted to possibly a quarter of a million men. These were provided with a reasonable quantity of food, munitions and other equipment. The stocks were ample on a maintenance basis and, possibly, even for a forward movement on a limited scale. It is quite possible that they were never sufficient for any comprehensive invasion of Greece, such as has now become inevitable. In the circumstances, it becomes essential to organise a major line of sea communications across the Otranto Strait, from Bari and Brindisi to Durazzo and Valona. To maintain this, and simultaneously another of equal importance across the Central Mediterranean to Africa, will prove no easy task for a Power weaker at sea. It should, at least, result in Italy having to pull back a certain number of her submarines and allocating them to the work of covering convoys. This would, in itself, be quite a useful relief to Britain.

The precise significance of adherence to the Axis policy by States like Hungary and Rumania is not easy to assess. They are not so situated as to be able to intervene directly in the conflict. In the case of Rumania, it might be a case of offering hostages to fortune. Now that the oilfields have been temporarily damaged by the earthquake, there will certainly be a temptation for the British to accentuate it by bombing raids. It may be that they are awaiting a greater strength in long-distance aircraft, or something of the kind. Certain it is that the complete wiping out of Rumanian production would be a factor of quite the first order of importance.

THE POPE CALLS FOR PEACE

IN an address, broadcast by the Vatican Radio yesterday, the Pope invited all believers to unite their prayers with his for the restoration of peace.

The Pope, preaching at High Mass in St. Peter's, said:—"Oh, Prince of Peace, who holds the keys of life and death, proclaim a term of peace over this world of suffering and tribulation, and in the hearts of men, who, tearful and lacerated, lie under the ruins of cities and villages.

"Look down with pity and console those who are mourning the loss of a husband or a brother; bestow the comforts of peace and resignation and help from the calamitous miseries of war on all those who are suffering who are parted from their country, who are prisoners of war, and who are wounded, and dry the tears of so many wives, so many mothers, so many orphans, and so many families.

"Oh, God, let the charity of your Divine Spirit reign and triumph in the world, and restore to the people and the nations the peace of understanding and justice.

"Peace among men is dead if you ordain it, but let it be resuscitated on land, sea, and especially in the air, whence, in the dark watches of the night, death, fire and destruction are rained down over huge populations.

'Restore the empire of right, banish discord and rankling in the hearts of men, and bring a new and unanimous prosperity—a real, ordered and lasting peace."

At the Holy Father's express orders much of the pomp and ceremony of a Papal Mass was dispensed with. No silver trumpets heralded the Pope's arrival, and there were none of the usual shouts of "Viva Il Papa" from the huge congregation.

After the sermon all present joined in the singing of the *Credo*. (Reuter.)

"It is understood that the Pope will fast for a week, as an appeal to God for peace," says the Rome Radio.

BRITAIN'S URGENT FINANCIAL NEED

Lord Lothian's Words Excite New York

SUGGESTED REQUEST FOR FOUR FORMS OF HELP

WHAT is described as an "unfortunate phrase" used by Lord Lothian, British Ambassador to Washington, regarding Britain's available gold and securities in the United States of America, has been interpreted in trans-Atlantic and other circles as implying that Lord Lothian spoke of Britain's financial resources generally.

Lord Lothian's statement was made in the course of an interview with American Press representatives, at Washington, on his return from England. Available gold and securities (in the United States), he said, had been virtually used up.

Lord Lothian's words about Britain's war requirements are displayed prominently in the New York papers.

According to one writer, he is seeking American help under the heads of merchant shipping, repeal of the Neutrality Act, extension of financial credits, and disuse of the principle of "Yankee Trade," as exemplified in the recent exchange of bases for destroyers.

Lord Lothian's reported statement has caused some uneasiness in England. It is believed that questions on the subject will be put in Parliament, and that the Government may make a statement clarifying the position.

THE QUESTION TO BE FACED

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

Lord Lothian (British Ambassador), in an interview on his return from England this week-end, bluntly told America that Britain was "beginning to come to the end of her financial resources." He was dealing with "available gold and securities. But he did not indicate at any stage of his conversation with reporters that Britain would seek financial aid from the United States. He was explicit in stating, "Britain definitely does not need men as part of United States assistance."

Asked specifically on his arrival in Washington to-day whether Britain intended to request either a modification or the repeal of the Johnson Act—the Act forbidding Government loans to debtor nations—Lord Lothian replied: "It is not for us to make such a suggestion." He added, however, that he thought the question how Britain was to continue paying for munitions purchases in the United States would have to be met within the next six months, although he explained that the limit of Britain's financial resources depended upon a great many factors.

"We have paid for everything so far, he said, but our gold and securities resources are being liquidated." He declined to estimate the total of Britain's war expenditure in the United States, although he said it was "much more" than the 1,000 million dollars (£250,000,000) suggested by one interviewer.

"A DIFFICULT YEAR"

Lord Lothian had flown from Lisbon in the trans-Atlantic Clipper, and afterwards he went without delay to Washington, where he is expected to take up the matter of increased aid to Britain.

Reporters crowded round him as he disembarked from the Clipper 'plane at the new La Guardia airport. He told them that it "would be a difficult year," and that Britain needed all kinds of war supplies, including munitions, ships, and "perhaps finance."

He said that available gold and securities had been virtually used up, and that this factor figured in the calculations for 1941. He added that the financial problem was "becoming urgent."

Lord Lothian indicated that Britain expected Germany to concentrate on interrupting the movement of supplies to England, thus making Britain's need for ships one of the "main problems" of the moment.

He expressed satisfaction at America's assistance and said that there was no feeling in England that it was "not enough."

CONFIDENCE IN VICTORY

"Confidence in ultimate victory is high," Lord Lothian continued. "The people do not have the slightest doubt that they are going to win. The bombings have intensified national unity. The people feel that they are not going to be done in by Hitler, but that they are going to do in Hitler instead."

The Ambassador added that Britain received President Roosevelt's announcement of the fifty-fifty split in arms production with the United States, with gratitude and approval.

The first half of 1940 was considered "a Hitler year," he said, but the British had "stopped him completely," and he got nowhere. "This does not mean the end of the war, however. Next year will be a tough and difficult year, and the more material we get from the United States the better."

THE GREEK SUCCESS

Lord Lothian said that the success won by the Greeks made the British thoroughly enthusiastic, and, he added, with a smile, "we think its very good for Mussolini that the Greeks are winning."

Asked if Italy's experience in Greece might lead to peace overtures, the Ambassador said that it would not "do anything to prevent it."

Five American Army and Navy observers returned from Britain in the Clipper.

IMPRESSION IN NEW YORK

"SEEKING FOUR KINDS OF AID"

Lord Lothian's frank words about Britain's war requirements are prominently displayed in the New York papers.

The *New York Times* Washington columnist, Mr. Arthur Krock, writes that the British Ambasador is seeking four kinds of aid:—

"1. Merchant ships, or the repeal of the Neutrality Act, to permit American ships to enter European waters.

"2. Active patrol duty by the U.S.A. Navy and Air Force in the Western and in parts of the Eastern Hemispheres.

"3. Extension of financial credits.

"4. Disuse of the policy of "Yankee trade" whenever new aid is granted as exemplified by the deal whereby bases were given in return for American destroyers."

Mr. Krock says that he does not know whether the Ambassador will make these requests specifically, but that informed circles in Washington say that these are Britain's immediate requirements.

MR. HAMILTON FISH'S SUGGESTION

A proposal that the United States should cancel Britain's war debt in return for complete possession of the French and British islands off the east coast and in the Caribbean Sea, as a preliminary to a possible amendment of the Johnson Act, has been made by Representative Hamilton Fish over the radio.

Mr. Fish is one of the most ardent non-interventionists in the country.

"If Britain does not want to yield possession of these islands for cancellation of the war debt," he said, "then I would be in favour of paying her one thousand million dollars (£250,000,000) in gold or giving her an additional fifty over-age destroyers, with the consent of Congress."

OUR ATHLONE FIRE FUND

CLOSES TO-MORROW

***The Irish Times* will be pleased to receive and acknowledge subscriptions towards the relief of distress caused by the Athlone fire. It is intended to close the Fund to-morrow.**

Subscribers are asked to send their contributions to

Athlone Fire Relief Fund,
***Irish Times*,**
31 Westmoreland St.,
Dublin.

Up to last evening a total of £3,368 had been received. The ninth list of subscriptions appears in page 6.

Raiders in the Atlantic

SOS From Two British Ships

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

An S O S from the British steamer Port Hobart saying that she was being "shelled by a raider" off the West Indies, was picked up by Mackay Radio at 4.42 p.m. B.S.T. to-day.

Twenty-five minutes earlier the Port Hobart had flashed a warning that she had "sighted a suspicious vessel." Her position was given as latitude 24.44 North, longitude 58.21 West, or about 500 miles north-east of Puerto Rico.

The Port Hobart is a vessel of 7,448 tons, owned by the Port Line, Ltd., and registered at London.

Mackay Radio also picked up a distress signal from the British steamer Trehata stating that she had sighted "a suspicious vessel" about 500 miles west of Ireland.

The Trehata's position was given as latitude 55.11 North, longitude 20.40 West.

The Trehata (4,817 tons) is registered at London and owned by the Hain S.S. Co., Ltd.

THREE SHIPS REPORTED TORPEDOED

There was no further news (says Associated Press) of the two British ships—the Blairesk (3,300 tons) and the Tymeric (5,228 tons)—which were reported by the U.S. Mackay Radio to have been torpedoed.

The Swedish 5,135-ton steamer Anten, was also reported to have been torpedoed. Her position was given as 250 miles west of Ireland, and she was said to be still afloat.

FIRE BOMBS ON BERLIN

Turin Arsenal Attacked

A THOUSAND incendiaries were showered on railway yards in Berlin by the Royal Air Force on Saturday night. Huge explosions followed the dropping of high explosive bombs, and in one phase of the attack alone ten large fires raged fiercely. Other bomber forces crossed the Alps to raid the Royal Arsenal and Fiat works at Turin, according to a British Air Ministry report.

A tremendous explosion lasting ten seconds was one result of a heavy onslaught on Krupps arsenal at Essen. German marine bases on the Channel coast, including L'Orient, were also bombed. Two British machines failed to return.

The R.A.F.'s main attack was on both ends of the Axis, reaching Berlin early in the evening and Turin an hour before midnight.

In Berlin the Putlitzstrasse and Lehrter railway goods yards were bombed shortly before eight o'clock. Large fires were started. One burned so fiercely that though the British aircraft were flying high they were lit up by the fire. About the same time a thousand incendiaries were dropped on the yards between the Potsdamer and the Anhalter railway stations. These started fires, and after high explosive bombs had been seen to burst there were several further explosions.

Early in the evening Krupps works at Essen were being attacked. The fierce fires which broke out were showing twenty miles away.

ARSENAL BOMBED

At Turin the Royal Arsenal and the Fiat Works were raided. Incendiaries from the first aircraft to arrive lit up the target for his successors.

A British Air Ministry *communiqué* issued earlier yesterday stated:—"Last night—Saturday—the R.A.F. bombed goods yards and railway stations in Berlin and Leipzig. Another heavy attack was made on the inland port of Duisberg-Ruhrort. Canal wharves at Cologne and railway sidings at Dortmund were also bombed. Oil targets selected were Wanne-Eickel and Dortmund. At both of these fires were observed. Krupps works at Essen, a factory at Castrop-Rauxel and several enemy aerodromes were also bombed. Besides these objectives in Germany, a force of our bombers attacked objectives at Turin.

Aircraft of the Coastal Command attacked the submarine base at Lorient, a power station at Brest and harbour installations at Boulogne. Yesterday an aircraft of the Coastal Command bombed the wireless station at Vikero, on the Norwegian coast. Two aircraft are missing.

MYSTERY RAID ON MARSEILLES

FRENCH PROTEST TO BRITAIN

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

VICHY, Sunday.

The French Government have protested to Britain against the alleged bombing of Marseilles by British 'planes early to-day.

An official *communiqué* states:—"An air raid alarm was sounded last night in Marseilles. This was followed by bombing by several British aircraft which flew over the town and its neighbourhood. A number of bombs, including about twenty incendiaries, were dropped. According to reports so far received, four women were killed and five injured. An examination of the unexploded bombs and the discovery of anti-Italian pamphlets leaves no doubt as to the nationality of the 'planes.

"The French Government have made an energetic protest against the unqualified and equally unexpected action of the British Air Force, and have demanded compensation from the British Government."

CONSECRATION RING FOR NEW ARCHBISHOP

SPECIAL "IRISH TIMES" NEWS.

We understand that an interesting innovation has been made in connection with the appointment by the Holy See of a new Archbishop of Dublin. Dr. MacQuaid has been offered, and has accepted, a consecration ring which is in the possession of the Royal College of Physicians in Ireland.

Last week, we are informed, a special meeting of the College was convened to congratulate the new Archbishop. By a unanimous resolution, it was decided to offer Dr. MacQuaid a ring, known as the "Borgia Ring," which had been acquired some years ago by the late Sir Conway Dwyer and presented to the College. This ring, which dates back to the fifteenth century, is believed to have been worn by some of the Popes.

Dr. T. P. C. Fitzpatrick, Registrar of the College, of which Senator Dr. R. J. Rowlette is President, called last week to convey to the Archbishop the College's congratulations, but we understand that the ring has not yet been presented.

SUDDEN DEATH OF LORD CRAIGAVON

Northern Ireland's Premier For Nearly 20 Years

WE regret to announce the death, which took place at his home, Glencraig, near Belfast, last night following a heart attack, of Lord Craigavon, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland. Three days ago he caught a chill, but his death was unexpected. Aged 69, he had held the office of Premier continuously longer than any other statesman in Europe, having been first appointed in June, 1921.

Lord Craigavon had not been in good health for several years, but during the past six months he had made a marked recovery, and had been attending to his Parliamentary and Ministerial duties unceasingly. He had been working right up to the end, having attended the Northern Ireland Parliamentary sitting on Tuesday, when he answered several questions put by members of the Opposition.

Lady Craigavon was the only member of his family present. His eldest son and heir, the Hon. James Craig, is at present serving with the British Navy in the East.

The Governor of Northern Ireland, the Duke of Abercorn, was informed of the Prime Minister's death last evening, and a meeting of the Northern Ireland Cabinet will be held to-day to make necessary arrangements.

It is understood, says our Belfast Correspondent, that Mr. J. M. Andrews, Minister for Finance and Deputy Prime Minister, who has frequently acted as Prime Minister in the absence of Lord Craigavon, will act as Prime Minister meantime until the Cabinet meeting and subsequent meeting of the Ulster Unionist Council to elect a new leader.

It was at Glencraig about a month ago that Lord and Lady Craigavon entertained the Duke of Kent, who was spending five days in Northern Ireland.

A stern opponent of Home Rule and any idea of a United Irish Republic, he once tersely declared: "De Valera's talk about a 'united Ireland' leaves me cold."

"Ulster stands firm as a rock for Great Britain, the Empire and one Crown," he once wrote, and this was his steadfast attitude. As far back as 1905 he was co-opted a member of the Ulster Unionist Council which laid down the Unionists' determination to repudiate any parliament that might be established in Dublin. Captain James Craig, as he then was, immediately ranged himself with Lord Carson—then Sir Edward Carson—in the controversial days of 1911, and it was at his residence, Craigavon, that the first meeting was held at which the Ulster Volunteers had their inception.

He helped to frame the "Solemn League and Covenant" pledged to resist the setting-up of a Home Rule Parliament in Dublin.

When correspondence between Mr. de Valera and Mr. J. H. Thomas, then Dominions Secretary, was exchanged in 1932, an impression gained ground in Northern Ireland that a certain paragraph might mean that Ulster was to be used as a pawn for bargaining purposes. Lord Craigavon at once left for London, and obtained an assurance that there was no such intention.

HIS CAREER

BY OUR BELFAST CORRESPONDENT.

Lord Craigavon was a devoted son of Ulster. He spent the greater part of his life serving the interests of the province in which he was born, and of which he was so proud. In his personality and appearance he typified the characteristic of the Ulster-Scot—a rugged and adamantine directness of outlook that swerved not to right or left, is seldom moved to emotion and is given to few words; the race which the late Lord Rosebery described as "the toughest, the most dominant and the most irresistible race that existed in the universe."

But if he was a true Ulster-Scot in externals he had also in a high degree many of their more lovable qualities—loyalty to friends, appreciation of kindness and a deep sympathy with suffering humanity. Nothing in Lord Craigavon's term of Premiership of Northern Ireland grieved him more than the fact that unemployment increased, and many of his supporters suffered severely by the depression in the shipyards and linen mills and factories. At one period he declared that he would solve unemployment in the North. For a period he and his Government, through the operation of the Loans Guarantee Act, brought new ship construction to the shipyards at a time when Great Britain was not operating a similar Trade Facilities Act, and British shipyards were idle. But world trade conditions were too much for him, and unemployment, it was found, could not be completely cured in the North or elsewhere until world trade recovered.

Working people in the North had a regard for him only equalled by their esteem for Lord Carson, whose Chief Lieutenant he was for fourteen years. Even those who differed from him in politics recognised that he was faithful to his promise to maintain such social services as Unemployment Benefit, Old Age Pensions and Widows' and Orphans' Pensions on the same high level as those in Great Britain.

PLEDGE TO BRITAIN

Over a year ago, when war clouds were gathering over Europe, Lord Craigavon submitted a resolution in the Northern Ireland Parliament pledging the whole resources of Northern Ireland, as part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and the Empire, for the prosecution of the war. This pledge has been fully kept, including a strict rationing scheme, similar to that operating in Great Britain, which enabled the surplus food supplies to be sent to England and Scotland. Time after time Lord Craigavon requested the late Mr. Chamberlain and the present Prime Minister to state in what way Northern Ireland could further help in the prosecution of the war, to the full extent of its manpower and industrial resources, and on each occasion he acceded to every proposal put forward for joint co-operation in the national effort.

Lord Craigavon was a member of an old and influential County Down family. He was the son of the late Mr. James Craig, J.P., of Craigavon and Tyrella, County Down, a pro-

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TRIBUTES

DUKE OF ABERCORN'S MESSAGE

The Duke of Abercorn, Governor of Northern Ireland, in a message to the people of Northern Ireland last night said:—"I am sure the people of Northern Ireland, and many throughout the Empire, unite in truly mourning the passing of a great man. Our deepest sympathy and our thoughts go out in full measure to his wife and all the members of his family in their great sorrow in the irreparable loss we have all sustained in his sudden passing."

"A TRULY GREAT LEADER"

The following tribute was paid to Lord Craigavon by the Right Hon. J. M. Andrews, Northern Ireland Minister of Finance:—"Ulster has lost a truly great leader through the tragically sudden death of her first Prime Minister, and I cannot express in words my overwhelming sorrow. For almost twenty years I have had the privilege of serving under his leadership. His human sympathy, great wisdom, ever-sound judgment and wonderful courage in times of difficulty and danger were an inspiration to all his colleagues. In history his name will shine not only as a great Ulsterman, but also as a statesman to whom the Empire owes much. The sympathy of Ulster people of all classes and creeds will be extended to Lady Craigavon and her family on their great sorrow and irreparable loss."

NATIONALIST TRIBUTE

Mr. T. J. Campbell, K.C., M.P., for the Central Division of Belfast, said: "It will be very hard to visualise public life in Northern Ireland without Lord Craigavon, because his prestige with his own party was enormous. He was a very big Ulsterman, and he seemed to concentrate in himself the whole Unionist policy. It is almost impossible to see who can fill his shoes."

"WORTHY OPPONENT"

Mr. Jack Beattie, Labour M.P. for Mountpottinger, said: "Lord Craigavon was a stalwart defender of the Unionist Party in the North, and his leadership was the success of that party. His position will be hard to fill in order to maintain the organisation in the forefront, as it was throughout his leadership. I always found him a very worthy opponent, and, although we had many conflicts, we were always able to treat each other as friends. He had many good points, and was well meaning."

WITH MICHAEL COLLINS AT CITY HALL

The Northern Premier's only visit to Dublin after the acceptance of the Treaty took place in February, 1922. It is thought that this took pla. at the request of General Collins, who was then faced with the very difficult problem of trying to bring order out of the chaos that then existed. Sir James Craig was accompanied by one or two of his advisers, and the meeting took place at the City Hall, where Collins at the time had established his office.

The proceedings were, naturally, private, but it was understood at the time that Collins put before him a proposal that the North should join the Free State. The alternative to this was the implementation of the Boundary Clause of the Treaty in a manner which Collins demonstrated by drawings showing the counties which were obviously willing to be associated with the Free State. Sir James apparently declined to consider the alternative at all, and the interview almost immediately came to an end.

THE BOUNDARY COMMISSION

The attitude of the Northern Government to the proposal to set up a Commission to investigate and report on the carrying out of the provision in Article 12 of the Treaty concerning the boundary was in the main a reflex of the personal view of Sir James Craig. The Article provided that the Commission should consist of three persons, one representing the Free State, the other Northern Ireland, and a Chairman to be appointed by the British Government. This body was to "determine in accordance with the wishes of the inhabitants so far as may be compatible with economic and geographic conditions, the boundaries between Northern Ireland and the rest of Ireland."

The sequel to this was that although frequently pressed by the Free State Government, the Northern Body declined to appoint a representative. Ultimately this was done by the British Government under special legislation. Mr. J. R. Fisher, a former editor of the *Northern Whig*, of Belfast, was appointed to represent the North, and Mr. Eoin MacNeill represented the Free State. The Chairman was Judge Feetham, of South Africa.

COAST TOWN BOMBED

A BRITISH Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security communiqué yesterday evening said: "Enemy activity over this country to-day has been slight. Several formations of fighters and fighter-bombers crossed the South-East coast this morning in the direction of London.

"They were promptly met and dispersed by our fighters. Reports so far received show that a few bombs were dropped at several points in Kent. Little damage and very few casualties are reported. An enemy bomber was shot down by our fighters in the English Channel about midday, and, in all, three aircraft were brought down.

A Press Association reporter stated:—Waves of German raiders, sweeping in from the sea and dropping fire bombs, subjected a south coast town to its heaviest attack of the war last night. As they wheeled back for their bases high explosive bombs crashed down, and churches, cinemas, a clinic, banks, public buildings, hotels, shops and flats were damaged. The German High Command claimed to-day that 250 'planes concentrated on Southampton during Saturday night.

FIRES CAUSED

Several fires were caused and the 'planes tried to concentrate on these, but accurate barrage fire drove many back. People in outlying districts could see the fires and a brilliant display of searchlights; incessant flashes of exploding bombs, and terrific A.-A. fire. Some of the raiders, driven back by the barrage, dropped their bombs in half a dozen neighbouring districts, and seven fires were started in the suburbs of one town.

In one cinema 1,500 people sat throughout the raid; fires broke out in two other cinemas nearby, but the audiences escaped unhurt. In a fourth cinema the manager and some of the staff climbed to the roof to put out four incendiary bombs, while the people inside watched the performance unaware of what was happening.

A fire engine in action against one blaze was destroyed, three of the crew were killed, two were injured and two escaped.

'PLANE SHOT DOWN

After it had machine-gunned a West of England aerodrome, a Dornier 215 bomber was shot down in the English Channel yesterday afternoon by Spitfires, states the British Air Ministry News Srvice. Two Spitfires intercepted the raider at between 1,000 and 2,000 feet, and a squadron-leader and pilot officer attacked it alternately until the bomber crashed into the sea three miles from the coast. The British pilots saw two survivors swimming among the wreckage, and later the Coastguards reported that one wounded enemy airman had been picked up. The other was dead.

Though bombs were dropped during the early part of Saturday night at widely separated places in many parts of the country, the attack was mainly concentrated on a town in Southern England, states an Air Ministry *communiqué* issued yesterday morning.

GREEKS CAPTURE TWO TOWNS

Italian Division Broken

PUSH DIRECTED TO ELBASAN

GREEK advanced units entered Pogradetz early yesterday afternoon, says the Press Association from Athens. They have passed through the town and are on the main road leading to Elbasan.

The small mountain town of Moskopolis, 10 miles west-north-west of Koritza, also fell to Greek troops yesterday.

Greek troops entered the outskirts of Argyrocastro, the Italian-Albanian supply base, yesterday, according to reports reaching Belgrade from a usually reliable source, says the Press Association.

One entire Italian division has been broken in disorder, while reports from Koritza state that three further battalions have been scattered and are being chased by cavalry.

In the central sector the Greeks were said to have reached Fracheri, to the north-west of Premeti. They were also pushing ahead west and north-west of Koritza, but delayed there somewhat by the weather.

A despatch from Koritza said that an Italian battalion fled into Yugoslavia and was interned.

It was reported that the airport of Koritza was useless as a result of Greek and British raids before the city was captured, and the wreckage of Italian 'planes was scattered over the field.

Despite the weather Greek air activity behind the Italian lines was heavy.

The Italians were said to have bombed Koritza and Greek advanced units, but without success.

The Greeks took advantage of the rain to assemble booty left behind by the Italians.

Greek military and police have been established in Koritza, and a new Municipal Council of four Mohammedans and ten Greeks has been created.

Royal Air Force bombers, powerfully backing up the continued advance of the Greek Army along the entire battlefront, on Saturday swooped down on Pogradetz, first "rest house" for the retreating Italians, and blasted their communications.

"ARMY CUT IN HALF"

Reports from the central (Pindus) sector to Salonika indicate that the Italian Army has been cut in half by a Greek column driving through the deep mountain valleys. While Greek troops in the Koritza and Pindus sectors were moving north and east, these reports said, another column was advancing northward from the Epirus.

Mr. J. K. Gordon, an American businessman on his way home after living in Athens for some years, stated in Sofia that he was convinced that the Greeks would be able to hold back the Italian invasion with the help of Britain. He believed that Britain was granting more aid to Greece than was officially admitted. In addition to Italy's battle against the British and Greeks, the strength of the Italian armies was greatly weakened, he said, by widespread sabotage by the Albanians.

The British communiqué from Cairo yesterday reported that British aircraft have attacked the Albanian town of Elbasan, to which the Italians, driven out of Koritza, were said to be fleeing.

Mr. Churchill has sent this message to General Metaxas, the Greek President of the Council:—"Heartfelt congratulations on the great Greek victories on the Albanian front, culminating in the capture of Koritza. We are all inspired by the feat of Greek valour against an enemy so superior in numbers and equipment. This recalls the classic age. Long live Greece."

King George of Greece, in a broadcast to the nation, said that he was happy and proud to congratulate the armed forces and the whole Greek people on all that they have succeeded in achieving in less than a month.

"The resistance of the Greek people, a great and noble resistance, has upset the enemy's plans in an admirable and extraordinary manner," he said, adding that "the first phase of the battle came to an end with

The Greek High Command *communiqué* said that in the afternoon Italian ships raided the island of Samos, "which they shelled without effect."

A *communiqué* by the Greek Ministry of Public Security stated that Italian aircraft on Friday bombed Lyxoari, on the island of Sephalonia, without causing damage or casualties. Corfu was also bombed, without damage or casualties. Italian 'planes bombed Tigani, on the island of Samos, and also used machine-guns and grenades, without causing casualties. Later, Tigani was also shelled for ten minutes by four Italian destroyers making a raid from Leros. They fired 70 shots without causing losses.

The island of Samos lies off the coast of Anatolia, in the Ægean Sea, north of the Italian Dodecanese islands. It has a population of some 70,000.

GUNS BY 'PLANE

By air and sea Britain is sending an apparently endless stream of guns, ammunition and aircraft to Greece, says the P.A. Special Correspondent in Cairo. "Somewhere in the Mediterranean area" he saw troop-carrying type 'planes en route laden with anti-tank guns, bombs and cases of ammunition.

KILLED ON RAILWAY AT DALKEY

The body of Michael Foley, tea, wine and spirit merchant, of 115 Coliemore road, Dalkey, County Dublin, was found near the railway track at Vico road, Killiney, last evening. He is presumed to have been struck by a train. Guards are investigating the occurrance, and an inquest will be held. Foley, a well-known figure in Dalkey, leaves a wife and three children.

LATE NEWS

HEAVY ATTACK ON ENGLISH TOWN

A West England town suffered a heavy attack lasting several hours last night, and it is feared that there may be casualties. Raiders came over singly almost continuously and dropped flares followed by incendiary bombs. High-explosive bombs followed. The 'planes met with a furious resistance from anti-aircraft batteries.

A lone raider was shot down near Falmouth last night. It exploded in mid-air and crashed into the sea. The force of the explosion shook the town. This was the third raider brought down yesterday in the South-West region.

GREEKS TAKE 1,500 PRISONERS

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

ATHENS, Monday.

The Greek High Command communiqué last night reads:—"Our troops are continuing their advances on the whole front. The town of Moscopolis was occupied. During 'mopping up' operations in the region of Koritza 1,500 prisoners were taken, together with 12 heavy guns, several mortars and other material. Our aviation bombarded three enemy columns in retreat with great success."

A communiqué by the Ministry of Public Security states that during Sunday no Italian raid on the interior was reported.

LIBERTY IS IN DANGER

Future Depends on People

MR. DE VALERA IN ENNIS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Sunday.

THERE is only one way to prevent Ireland being made a cockpit of war, and that is by the determination of the men and women of this country to give their lives, if necessary, in defending our hard-won freedom.

This was a statement made by Mr. de Valera to-day at Ennis, where he took the salute at O'Connell square from 5,000 members of the Clare Local Security Force.

Mr. de Valera asked the L.S.F. to make the best possible use of the weapons which they had and which would be given to them. Every one of them should aspire to be a marksman with the rifle: they were a people of great traditions, but they could very easily become unworthy of them if they did not take the pains necessary to live up to them. They would be required to give a considerable portion of their time to making themselves proficient, and they had made ready the groundwork with stout hearts and the knowledge that they were training themselves not with any evil intent against others, but to defend their own liberties.

They were living in times when the liberty of small peoples was in danger. A terrible conflict was taking place, and so long as that conflict continued the danger existed that one side or the other might covet our territory to secure victory for themselves. Any such attempt would inevitably bring about the situation that our country would become a cockpit, and it was, therefore, the duty of each one of them to do their utmost to prevent that. "Under Heaven there is only one way to prevent it, and that is by the determination of the men and women of this country to give their lives, if necessary, in defending our hardly-won freedom."

JOIN L.S.F.

He hoped that every man between the age of 20 and 35 years who was unable to join the permanent forces would join the "A" group of the L.S.F., which was the appropriate place for them.

Modern wars were fought not merely by the active fighters, but by the community as a whole, and on the determination of the ordinary citizen and his loyality to the community as a whole would depend whether this country was going to be victorious in this fight or not. As the present conflict became more and more fierce, as it was likely to become—he might almost say more and more savage—more and more burdens would have to be borne by the citizens of this country. The principal thing on which everything, of course, would depend would be on their having sufficient food supplies, and in the coming year our people should make provision to have the food supply made safe. For that reason the Government wanted to have grown as much wheat as possible, and also beet, potatoes, oats and barley.

Referring to unemployment, he said that as the war progressed they would inevitably have difficulties in regard to that. As shipping became short they would be unable to get from outside any of their requirements, and they would have to face a situation in which there may be considerable unemployment. Day by day the burdens were bound to become heavier, and the task of the Government would be to see that these burdens were spread fairly over the community and not on the poorer sections of the community.

THE NEW UNITY

They must organise better than they had been organised up to the present, and have throughout the community an understanding body of opinion, so that the reasons for the measures which the Government may have to take would be properly understood. They now had in the country a wonderful movemen, in which all sections and parties were united for a common purpose, and they must allow nothing to shake that unity, which was their best defence against the possibility of attack and their best assurance that, if attacked, they would survive it.

Dr. T. F. O'Higgins, T.D., also spoke, and among those on the platform were:—Major-General D. McKenna, Chief of Staff; Colonel M. J. Costello, Major T. Fox, Captain Liam Deasy, Colonel F. J. Henry, and Commandant Haugh.

Addresses of welcome to Mr. de Valera were presented by Ennis and Kilrush Urban Councils.

DUNDALK'S LITTLE THEATRE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Sunday.

Dundalk's Little Theatre was opened to-night, when players from various Dundalk groups produced "The Cloak," "The Machine," and a tableaux dealing with a phase in the life of Sarah O'Neill, the great Dundalk actress.

Mr. Michael Farrell congratulated the promoters of the Little Theatre, and said that their enterprise was an example to all parts of Ireland. There was no Irish drama and no Irish theatre, he said, until the years when Lady Gregory, George Moore, "Æ," and Edward Martyn began a movement which, though instinctively Irish, was inevitably international, and had left to the world a big quantity of realistic Irish drama, some fine poetical dramas, and the works of at least two, possibly three, master dramatists of the world. That first movement, having raised the dignity of Ireland, had come to an end. The deaths of great men, the weaknesses of others, a turning towards the novel as the Irish medium of expression, the surrender of certain values, all these had played a part in that rapid crumbling away. "You here in this new theatre," said Mr. Farrell, "are the inheritors of that first dramatic movement, and since there comes from our cities, or from our dominating groups, no sign that could justify hope for a new burst of creative dramatic work—in some cases there even seems only indifference on the part of those who should be ardent and positive—therefore, the hope of a new dramatic movement can be found, if at all, in such little theatres as yours."

Such a little theatre as that could be a focus of knowledge, of taste, of experience in matters of the theatre.

Mrs. Little, President of the Little Theatre Club, outlined the objects of the movement, which she described as a nursery for the theatre.

Mr. J. Coburn, T.D., presided.

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The "Irish Times" Fund for the relief of distress in Athlone closes to-morrow. With the addition of £163 received up to yesterday, the total is now £3,368. We gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions:—

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In our issue of November 23rd Mrs. F. Gleeson, Tinarana, Killaloe, Co. Clare, £10 10/- should have read £10.

SLOVAKIA TO AID AXIS

SLOVAKIA joined Germany, Italy and Japan yesterday.

Dr. Tuka, the Prime Minister of Slovakia, signed a protocol, affirming his country's adherence to the three-Power group, in Berlin yesterday morning, and later Herr von Ribbentrop received Dr. Tuka for an interview.

Slovakia thus becomes the sixth country to adhere to the pact, which acknowledges the leadership of the Axis in Europe and of Japan in the Orient of the creation of a "new world order." The Rumanian State leader, Antonescu, signed a similar protocol in Berlin on Saturday, and the leaders of Hungary had previously signed the agreement in Vienna.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

When Dr. Tuka arrived in Berlin the railway station was decorated with the national colours of Slovakia, states the German News Agency, and the Prime Minister was greeted by Ribbentrop, Field-Marshal Keitel, Dr. Ley, the head of the Labour Front, and other German officials. Dr. Tuka, wearing the uniform of the Hlinka Guard, inspected a guard of honour on the platform and then drove off in a car with Ribbentrop. Almost immediately afterwards he affixed his signature to the protocol.

In addition to Dr. Tuka, the protocol was signed by Herr von Ribbentrop, for Germany; Signor Buti, for Italy, and by M. Kurusu, the Japanese Ambassador to Germany, for Japan.

OTHER ADHERENTS?

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ROME, Sunday.

The Italian newspaper, *Voce d'Italia*, says to-day:—"The developments of the tripartite pact are not yet finished, and soon there will be other proofs of the attraction of this diplomatic document."

TURKEY PREPARES

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ANKARA, Sunday.

Herr von Papen, German Ambassador to Turkey, arrived back here yesterday after an absence of several weeks. He has been in Germany, whither he was recalled suddenly for consultations at the end of last month.

Apart from martial law in the Straits zone, already announced, there are other measures in prospect designed to increase Turkey's military preparedness. Already a large army has been mobilised, and its numbers are steadily increasing. It is hoped that these precautions will discourage the Axis Powers from presenting Turkey with a three-hour ultimatum, and particularly have a sobering effect upon Bulgaria. At least these countries cannot have any doubts that Turkey means business.

The attitude of Bulgaria is not yet clear, but according to reports reaching Ankara King Boris did not commit himself during his visit to Berchtesgaden. It is said that Hitler pointed out the value of alliance with Germany in the present situation, which gave Bulgaria the opportunity to realise her own territorial claims on Greece. King Boris's reply, it is understood, was to the effect that a country as small as Bulgaria could not afford to get mixed up in struggles between Great Powers.

It is thought in Ankara that Yugoslavia will hold out against Axis pressure, but it is difficult to foresee the probable developments in the international situation, and Turkey is not taking any risks.

ENNIS DIRECTORS CHARGED

THIRTY-TWO COUNTS IN INDICTMENT

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Saturday.

BEFORE District Justice Gleeson, at Ennis, Walter Chapman, managing director of the Ennis Braid Mills, and Ted Town, director, were again charged in relation to certain sums of money the property of L. Jordan, Ltd., owners of the mills.

Seventeen new charges were preferred against Walter Chapman, making a total of thirty-two, involving a total sum of over £15,000.

Arthur Herbert Walkey, of Messrs. Cooper and Kenny, auditors, Dame street, Dublin, stated that as a result of a report received from their clerks he had called Mr. Chapman's attention to two cheques for £113 and £117, which had been charged as goods instead of expenditure on the premises, and which had been debited against general invoices. Mr. Chapman said that he did not wish to increase the already heavy cost of repairs. Witness told him that sort of thing could not be done, and then referred to other invoices relating to accounts of Messrs. L. Jordan, Ltd., Leicester, and Messrs. Malcolm Ross and Sons, Manchester, for which he could not trace the items in the stock sheets. These items totalled £2,990, and he pressed Mr. Chapman for an explanation. Mr. Chapman said that they were wrong, and were not, in fact, invoices for goods purchased, but were equivalent to credit notes granted to L. Jordan, Ltd., Leicester, as an allowance or rebate for sales invoices to them.

CHAIRMAN'S EVIDENCE

Messrs. P. J. Egan, Tullamore, Chairman of the company; Liam Devlin, Dublin, and Ralph Holliday, Corbally, Limerick, gave evidence that a meeting had been summoned for 24th October to consider the annual accounts, but they had not been before them.

Mr. S. R. MacCleary, Secretary of the company, said that in November last there had been a question of a bonus for the employés, and he proposed to draw a cheque and post it to the account of salaries or wages, but instead there had been an invoice for goods put through.

How could the invoice for goods be put through for goods that were not there? asked Mr. J. A. McCarthy, K.C. (instructed by Mr. M. J. Walshe, State Solicitor), who prosecuted.—I was handed the invoice by Chapman, replied witness, and it purported to come from Malcolm Ross and Sons, Manchester. It was for £423 with discount, leaving it £408.

INVOICES

Witness also gave evidence about a deposit paid on machinery. Mr. Chapman, he said, told him that they had enough machinery in the accounts already, and to get a goods invoice somewhere and put it through as goods. He could not get a bona-fide invoice for goods not ordered, so he was to look around for one somewhere.

The further hearing was adjourned until Friday, 6th December, the accused men being allowed bail. Mr. G. Kenny (instructed by Mr. E. Monahan, solicitor) appeared for the defendants.

OBITUARY

LORD TRYON

Lord Tryon, who, as Major G. C. Tryon, was British Postmaster-General from 1935 until his resignation in April last, died early yesterday of heart failure at Liddle Court, Sunningdale, Berks., aged 69. Lord Tryon was created a Peer in April last. He entered on his Ministerial career in 1919, when, at the age of 48, he was appointed Under-Secretary of State for Air, after seeing war service with the Grenadier Guards. In 1920 he was appointed Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Pensions, a post which he held until 1922, when he became Minister of Pensions, an office he was destined to hold on three successive occasions. After his elevation to the peerage he became First Commissioner of Works in May last. In October Lord Tryon was succeeded as Commissioner of Works by Sir John Reith, and he became Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Pensions in place of Miss Ellen Wilkinson. Lord Tryon had represented Brighton as Unionist candidate since 1910, and at the last election secured the largest majority of any member of Parliament in England, Scotland or Wales. Lord Tryon married in 1905 the Hon. Averil Vivian, second daughter of the first Lord Swansea. There are two sons of the marriage.

MR. JOHN P. BUTLER

The death of Mr. John P. Butler occurred yesterday at his residence, Clonard, Killiney. Mr. Butler was well known for over half a century in the commercial life of Dublin. Formerly the head of Messrs. John P. Butler and Co., wine merchants, William street, from which business he retired in 1909, he became a member of the Dublin Stock Exchange in 1915, and, jointly with Mr. Hubert Briscoe, founded the firm of Butler and Briscoe, stockbrokers. In 1925 he became a director of the National Bank, Ltd., of which institution he afterwards became Vice-Chairman, a position from which he retired owing to impaired health early in the present year. He was also a member of the Central Savings Committee. Mr. Butler was educated at Blackrock College, and throughout his life he was intimately associated with the development of the College. He was President of the College Union in the years 1914 and 1915. He was also well known for his philanthropic activities. In his earlier years he was a keen worker in the St. Vincent de Paul Society, and for a long time he was a Governor of the Cork Street Hospital and the Royal Hospital for Incurables. He remained to the end a trustee for the National Maternity Hospital, Holles street, in which he took particular interest. Throughout his life he was a generous subscriber to local charities. Mr. Butler is survived by two sons and three married daughters. His elder son is Colonel Richard B. Butler, M.C., O.B.E., and the younger son, Mr. Desmond Butler, is a partner with Mr. Hubert Briscoe, the co-founder of the firm of Butler and Briscoe.

GERMAN LONG-RANGE GUNS IN ACTION

German long-range guns, mounted on the French coast, fired through mist over the sun-lit Straits of Dover yesterday. The bombardment, which began soon after 3 o'clock, continued spasmodically for more than an hour. Shells crashed into the Dover area, but no casualties or damage were reported. Similar brief cross-Channel bombardments by German big guns have taken place almost every day for the past fortnight. Apparently the German artillery have been trying to locate British long-distance guns on the Kent coast.

Midway through yesterday's shelling a lone Spitfire flew across the Channel and circled above the German battery at Cap Gris Nez. On its return flight the Spitfire ran into four Messerschmitt 109's homeward bound after a raid on England.

A.-A. shells were still bursting in the sky when the Spitfire sailed into the Messerschmitts with its guns blazing. People on the Kent coast heard two long bursts of machine-gun fire and saw the Spitfire skimming above the raiders. One went into a steep dive and vanished into the blanket of mist over the sea. The remainder split up and raced into the clouds. As the Spitfire crossed the Kent coast on its way back to its base it performed the "victory roll."

ADMIRAL TO BE U.S. ENVOY TO FRANCE

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Saturday.

The French Government has, according to a Vichy report received here, accorded its agreement to the appointment of Rear-Admiral Leahy, Governor of Puerto Rico and former Chief of Naval Operations, as Ambassador to France.

It is felt in Washington, says Reuter, that the Admiral, possessing, as he does, the complete confidence of the President, will be a suitable Envoy, since the Mediterranean situation is so vital and the ultimate disposition of the French Fleet remains undecided

DEATH OF LORD CRAIGAVON

(Continued from Page 5.)

minent business man of Belfast, whose organising ability largely established the world-wide reputation of the firm of Dunville and Co., of which he was managing director. He was born in 1871, and was educated at Merchiston Castle School, Edinburgh. He studied naval architecture, and, although he qualified in that profession, his inclinations were towards military life, and he subsequently became an officer in the 3rd Battalion Royal Irish Rifles—the old "North Downs." When the Boer War broke out he volunteered for active service with the North of Ireland Imperial Yeomanry. For his part in the South African campaign he was awarded the Queen's Medal and three clasps and the King's Medal with two clasps.

ENTRY INTO POLITICS

At the conclusion of the Boer war he retired with the rank of Captain, and almost immediately plunged into politics. His brother (the late Captain the Right Hon. C. C. Craig) had been returned to Parliament as the Unionist member for East Antrim, and Captain James Craig contested North Fermanagh at a by-election in 1903 on the retirement of Mr. E. M. Archdale (now Sir Edward Archdale, former Northern Minister of Agriculture), but was unsuccessful, the late Mr. Edward Mitchell defeating him by the narrow margin of 152 votes. In 1906, after two years of unremitting work in the constituency as the adopted candidate, he contested East Down at the general election, and won the seat from Mr. James Wood, a Liberal, by a majority of 670 votes.

He became immensely popular at Westminster, and, by keeping in close touch with his constituents and looking after their interests, he increased his majority at the general elections in January and December, 1910. At the 1918 election he stood for Mid-Down, and he was returned by a majority of 9,932 over his Sinn Fein opponents, who only polled 707 votes.

BEGINNING OF ULSTER MOVEMENT

Although one of the leaders and founders of the Ulster Unionist Council, it was not until the period 1911 to 1914 that Sir James Craig, as he then was, began to take a prominent part in the Ulster movement. The alliance between the Liberal and Nationalist parties and the removal of the veto of the House of Lords by the Parliament Act, he saw clearly, left the way open for the passage of a Home Rule measure which would apply to all Ireland and place the North under an all-Ireland Parliament. The Ulster Unionists, remembering that twice previously the electorate had rejected a Home Rule measure when placed directly before them, saw that there was no longer any hope of a Parliamentary safeguard, and Lord Craigavon and the other Ulster Unionist leaders transferred the campaign to the North. With vigour and expedition they reorganised the Unionist Clubs which played such a prominent part in defeating the previous Home Rule Bills.

ULSTER VOLUNTEERS

Lord Carson (or Sir Edward as he was then) was selected as the Leader of the Ulster resistance. From the Unionist Clubs developed the Ulster Volunteers. The whole province was divided into territorial areas, with its battalions, brigades, ambulance corps, motor cycle scouts and much of the paraphernalia of a regular army. While many sneered at "Carson's Army," with its wooden guns, it went on organising, drilling and demonstrating, while Lord Carson challenged the Government of the day to arrest him. The wooden guns were discarded when thousands of guns were landed at Larne, Bangor, and other places in a gun-running operation, which surprised and astonished the British Government of the day, yet won the grudging admiration of high Admiralty officials for its completeness and success.

The historic Covenant by which the Unionists of Ulster pledged themselves to stand by one another had, in the meantime, been signed, and to force Home Rule upon the North without its consent would have been the prelude to civil war, not only in Ireland, but Great Britain also. While Sir Edward Carson was the inspirer of the Ulster movement, Sir James Craig, as his right-hand man, was the actual organiser and practical moulder of the Ulster Volunteers, notwithstanding the fact that it had General Richardson as Commander and a military staff. Craigavon, Sir James Craig's residence, in those days, was like a small fort or military headquarters, with guards surrounding the house and grounds.

PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT

Conferences took place daily between the leaders and Lord Carson, and especially at the period of the Curragh incident and the dispatch of warships to Belfast Lough Craigavon was the nerve centre of the Ulster movement. A provisional government was set up ready to take over control in the North at the first attempt to use force. How events in Ulster in those stirring days, with which Sir James Craig was intimately associated, affected developments on the Continent and subsequent events in Ireland has frequently been a matter of speculation. No Ulster Unionist or Irish Nationalist would probably agree upon the subject.

The outbreak of the Great War in August, 1914, however, changed the whole scene. The Home Rule Bill was deferred temporarily, "Carson's Army" was incorporated as a separate and distinct unit—the Ulster (36th) Division—into the Army which Lord Kitchener was organising. The Ulster leaders offered the Ulster Volunteers for the Empire's service, asking that it should form a distinct Ulster Division. When the offer was at length accepted Sir James Craig was appointed to the headquarters staff of the Division, with the rank of Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, but in 1915 his health broke down, and he was obliged very reluctantly to resign his commission. His brother, Captain C. C. Craig, M.P., who was serving with the Division, went to France with it, and was taken prisoner at the Battle of the Somme in July, 1916.

ADMINISTRATIVE POSTS

From 1916 to 1918 Sir James Craig was Treasurer of His Majesty's Household; he was then appointed Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Pensions, and subsequently became Financial Secretary to the Admiralty—the most important office outside the Cabinet. He brought to the latter post expert knowledge as a qualified naval architect. These administrative posts gave him an intimate knowledge of the working of Government departments, and proved of great advantage to him when he was called upon to form the first Government in Northern Ireland. He was created a Baronet in 1918 for his services in the Government during the war.

PRIME MINISTER OF NORTHERN IRELAND

On the 7th June, 1921, Sir James Craig was elected the first Prime Minister of Northern Ireland. Previously he had been selected, on the nomination of Sir Edward Carson, as leader of the Ulster people. The confidence of Lord Carson was not misplaced, for Sir James Craig proved himself an admirable leader. His gifts for organisation had full play in the formation of the new State, the establishment of the administration departments, and the allocation of responsibilities to Ministers and officials. It was in this that his wide experience of Government at Westminster proved of great advantage, for the Northern Parliament was organised as model in miniature upon Westminster. Sir James Craig saw the necessity of keeping himself as far as possible free from the routine of Government and delegating detail to Ministers and officials. But, while the detail and routine were devolved upon others, he kept control with a firm hand. He was in every sense a strong man, and conscious of his strength.

TALK WITH MR. DE VALERA

He was severely tested during the period following the establishment of the Northern Government. Yet, when the troubles were at their height and feeling in Belfast against Sinn Fein was stronger than ever it was before, Sir James Craig did not hesitate to talk matters over with Mr. de Valera. He was severely criticised by many of his own followers at the time. When he received the invitation to see Mr. de Valera he came to the conclusion that an interview with the Sinn Fein leader was his duty, and he did not hesitate to undertake a secret journey to Dublin to discuss with one who was then in hiding. That in a flash revealed the bigness and courage of the man.

BOUNDARY COMMISSION

Another severe testing time came with the Boundary Commission. Under the Treaty Northern Ireland was given power to contract out of the Free State, and in the event of that being done a Commission was to be set up to delimit the boundary between the two States. The provision of such a Boundary Commission created considerable uneasiness among Ulster Unionists, while in the Free State many thought it would operate in reducing the dimensions of Northern Ireland to four counties instead of six. It was at this stage that Lord Craigavon made his famous declaration, "Not an inch," which consoled his followers in the North and caused no little resentment in the South.

The Boundary Commission, however, interpreted their terms of reference to mean an adjustment of the boundary and not a means of securing large areas for one side or the other. As it turned out ultimately, from a forecast of the Commission report published in a London newspaper, it appeared that not only would Northern Ireland not lose any considerable territory, but that it was intended to add a large slice of Donegal to the Northern area. The publication of this forecast caused a sensation in the Free State and consternation amongst Northern Nationalists, who recognised that adjustments upon these lines would merely have the effect of reducing the number of Nationalist members in the Northern Parliament from eleven to about six without gaining any material advantage likely to further the ultimate unity of Ireland. Negotiations were immediately entered into, resulting in the cancellation of Article V. of the Treaty which provided for annual payments, computed by some authorities to run into several millions per annum by the Free State to the British Government, and the boundary was left as it was. Although Lord Craigavon's "Not an inch" was regarded, at the time it was made, a very extraordinary declaration, in the ultimate result it was what transpired, to the relief of many Nationalists as well as Unionists.

RESTORATION OF ORDER

The Northern Government then settled down to develop, under the guidance of the Prime Minister, the area which was entrusted to the Government. The first task was to completely restore law and order, and when this was achieved a considerable section of the Special Constabulary, organised upon the recommendation of the late Sir Henry Wilson, was disbanded. The "B" voluntary Special Constabulary still continues in existence, and Lord Craigavon declared that as long as he remained Prime Minister, and responsible for the maintenance of law and order and stable conditions, the "B" Specials would remain.

In the realm of domestic legislation the path of the new Government was not entirely a bed of roses. There was considerable opposition to the Temperance Bill, with its Sunday-closing provision. On the other hand, the Temperance Party pressed for a measure of local option. These contending policies, for a time, threatened to divide the province into opposite camps, until the Prime Minister made it clear that there would be no further temperance legislation during his premiership unless it were an agreed measure.

THE EDUCATION ACT

Another matter for keen controversy was the Education Act. The Protestant Churches were not satisfied that the provision for religious instruction in the schools was sufficiently explicit, and they pressed for an amending measure. Their views met with considerable resistance in some quarters, but when the Orange Institution, which Lord Craigavon described on one occasion in Parliament as the "back-bone of Ulster," supported the Protestant Churches the Amending Bill was speedily produced and religious instruction assured of a definite and unambiguous position in the elementary schools.

The main domestic issue, however, which has overshadowed the Northern Government since its establishment and has been a source of great anxiety to the Prime Minister and the Government has been the spectre of unemployment. The decision to maintain unemployment benefit and other social services upon the same level as Great Britain caused serious embarrassment to the new State when the slump came and unemployment increased. The Northern Unemployment Fund ran up a debt of over £5,000,000 in a few years. How a re-insurance agreement with Great Britain for the Unemployment Funds of both areas saved the situation is well known. It was a striking achievement for the Prime Minister in co-operation with the Minister of Labour (Mr. J. M. Andrews) and the Minister of Finance (Mr. H. M. Pollock)

RAISED TO PEERAGE

Sir James Craig, Bart., as he then was, figured in the New Year's Honours list of 1927, when he was raised to the Peerage with the rank of Viscount. It was a fitting honour for the great service he rendered to Northern Ireland, Great Britain and the Empire, and even many who differed from him in politics and utterly opposed to his policy were the first to tender their congratulations upon this signal mark of distinction conferred upon one of the outstanding Irishmen of his time.

Both Lord and Lady Craigavon have always displayed a keen interest in the welfare of ex-Service men. During the Great War they placed their beautiful home at the disposal of ex-Service men as an hospital for patients suffering from neurasthenia and shell-shock, and it was still utilised for this purpose many years after the war.

Although he had many political opponents, Lord Craigavon had no enemies. Everyone respected him for his unswerving loyalty to those principles which he believed to be right and also for the spirit of moderation which he always displayed in his dealings with men who were strongly opposed to him. Often have I seen him being attacked bitterly by an opponent in the Northern House of Commons, and yet a few minutes later he would be seen in earnest and friendly conversation with his critic in the lobby endeavouring in a fatherly way to convince him of his errors. He was a big man, not only in stature, but in outlook, and had the power of transmitting to his listeners his own quiet confidence in his judgment.

Although once he signed an agreement in which the possibility of the unity of Ireland might be explored, he subsequently explained in the Northern House of Commons on the 4th April, 1922, his own personal views of this subject in the following words:—"My own position in this matter has been cleared up so often that I am tired reiterating how I stand on it. If any person can be found in Ulster to lead the Ulster people into the Free State, it will not be me."

THE ORANGE ORDER

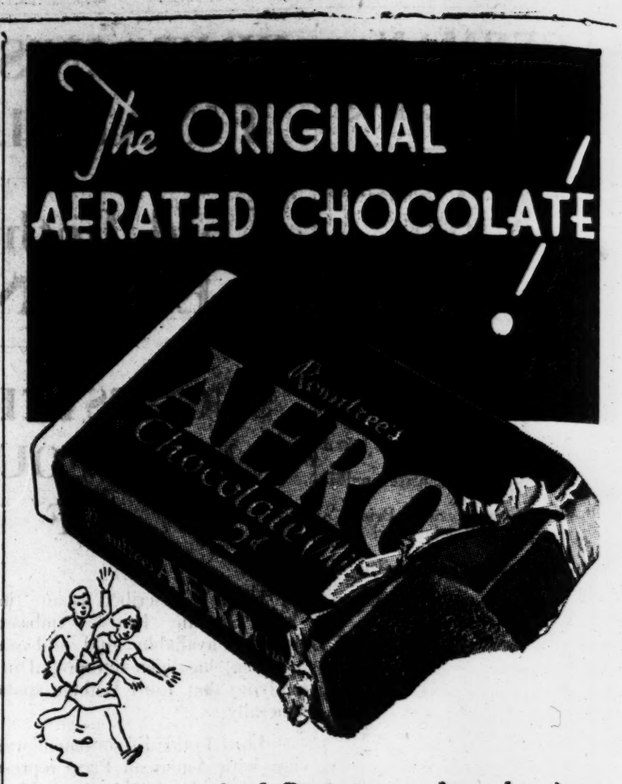
Lord Craigavon had a long and intimate connection with the Orange Order. He was a County Grand Master of Down and was a Deputy Grand Master of the Orange Institution. He was also associated with the Apprentice Boys of Derry. He was a prominent member of the Masonic Order for many years. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and was for a long period connected with the Belmont Congregation, Belfast.

Among the various honours conferred upon Lord Craigavon during his career were Privy Councillor of Ireland 1921, Privy Councillor of Northern Ireland 1922, Deputy Lieutenant of County Down, J.P. of Belfast, Hon. LL.D. of Queen's University, Belfast, 1922; Hon. D.C.L. Oxford, 1926.

Lady Craigavon, who had done magnificent work in the cause of charity, is the daughter of the late Sir Daniel A. A. Tupper, M.V.O., formerly of the Lord Chamberlain's Department, who was Assistant Controller of His Majesty's Household. They were married on 22nd March, 1905, and, by special permission of the King, the wedding was celebrated in the Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace. The heir to the peerage is the Hon. James Craig, whose twin brother, Patrick William Dennis, married Miss Olive M. M. Cumming. Lord and Lady Craigavon's daughter, Eleanor Aileen Cecil, was married in July, 1929, to Lieutenant-Commander Robert Gordon Hood Linzee, R.N., the wedding being one of the outstanding events of the London season.

BRITAIN'S NEW ENVOY IN LISBON

The British Foreign Office announces that the King has approved the appointment of the Right Honourable Sir Ronald Hugh Campbell, formerly Ambassador at Paris, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Lisbon, in succession to Sir Walford Selby.



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MINISTER'S ADVICE TO L.S.F.

BIG RALLY HELD IN ATHLONE

ADDRESSING a Local Security Force parade at Athlone yesterday, Mr. Frank Aiken, Minister for the Co-ordination of Defensive Measures, described the L.S.F. movement as one of the most remarkable in the nation's history. They had all a right to be proud of the national unity it displayed. In these dangerous times the one thing that would save them was, with God's help, that they would resist attack vigorously, and determined that every bullet, shell and mine should find its billet. They sought no quarrel, and only asked the right to determine their own national policy without evil intent to any.

With the increase in range of modern offensive and defensive war-craft of all descriptions, said Mr. Aiken, there is no long-term strategic advantage to be gained in this country which would outweigh the disadvantage of having to fight our fine little Army in the first instance, and the Army plus the L.S.F. in every parish and townland throughout the country. But while this is so, we have always to keep in mind that war tends to spread in ever-increasing circles, and that diversions, strategic feints and prestige-raising stunts are as much part of this ruthless game as territorial expansion for long-term purposes. Therefore, no matter how well armed or trained we are, we must always be prepared. We must always be on the alert, and ready to hit hard and speedily at any hour of the day or night in every parish in the country.

He urged the importance of having a good knowledge of the country, roads, etc., for ten miles around, the advantage of map-reading, and the necessity of rifle and grenade practice. Foot and arms drill was not to be despised; soldierly smartness was good for the man, for his unit and for the morale of the country.

LESSON FOR NORTH

Archdeacon Crowe, who presided, said that on that and similar platforms throughout the country they hoped that a salutary lesson would be learned by those in the Northern corner of the country, who preferred to live apart from Irish nationalism. They gave them an example of kindness, goodwill and co-operation, and he hoped they would come to realise that for them also an undivided Ireland was the best.

General Mulcahy said that when the Government had completed the task of defence they would be able to turn their attention to economic problems with a united Ireland behind them.

About 3,000 L.S.F. men and first aid workers took part, and the salute was taken by Mr. F. Aiken.

On the platform were:—The Ven. Archdeacon Crowe, P.P., V.F.; the Rev. J. Plunkett, Adm.; the Rev. G. K. Birmingham, the Rev. Father Gabriel, O.F.M.; the Rev. Father Fintan, O.F.M.; the Rev. Father Cloonan, Major-General Sweeney, Chief Superintendent McCarthy, Mr. Davin, T.D.; General Sean MacEoin, T.D.; Mr. J. Victory, T.D., and Mr. E. Childers, T.D.

The Minister was presented with an address of welcome by the Athlone Urban Council.

Miss Geraldine Mitchel states that she did not attend Newall's staff dance, as reported.

DEDICATION OF NEW CHURCH

CARDINAL MacRORY OFFICIATES

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

OMAGH, Sunday.

In the presence of a large congregation at Creggan, Carrickmore, Co Tyrone, to-day, Cardinal MacRory dedicated the new Catholic church. The Most Rev. Dr. Lyons, Bishop of Kil

Old Belvedere Backs Show Their Best Form

OLD BELVEDERE ..... 9 **UNIVERSITY COLLEGE 3**

IF ever a set of backs got chances enough to win a match by a cricket score, those of U.C.D. did against Old Belvedere at Jones's road, but they committed all the cardinal sins in the development, execution and finishing off of attacking moves, and, with their defence extremely vulnerable to attacks pressed down the centre of the field, their side was defeated by 3 tries to a goal.

Belvedere's success hung in the balance right to the end, but their backs were always much quicker in thought and action and more resourceful in every way in attack, while in defence they worked to a plan which proved very effective in driving the opposition across the field.

College have been badly hit by the loss of forwards—B. Devane, D. Hingerty and E. Lanigan were all off on Saturday—and while D. Ryan clearly beat his youthful opponent, E. Cusack, whom Belvedere tried as a hooker for a good part of the game, they were very tame in the loose, and the absence of regular back row men made matters easier for the Belvedere outsides. Not much was seen either of the winners's pack in the open, but they were cleverer in supporting their backs.

Not for a long time has G. J. Morgan exploited his break-away and "dummy-selling" guile so frequently and with so much effect as he did in this game. He "made" two of the tries, and, had R. Quinn not dropped a pass from him, would probably have been responsible for a third. His passing, too, was as perfect as ever. P. J. Quinn did not attempt a great deal at stand-off, but J. Byrne and G. J. Quinn were always trying something in the centre, and played well together, with the former getting further. J. O'Dwyer, particularly noticeable for his backing up of Morgan; V. Aird M. O'Neill and D. O'Brien were noticeable forwards.

Little fault could be found with J. Leonard, the College scrum-half but his partner, D. O'Sullivan, did not give his three-quarters much scope. P. O'Donnell, although very closely marked, was the only three-quarter who looked like getting anywhere and C. Nolan again played very well at full-back. T. Heaslon made his reappearance in the pack and worked very hard, and D. Ryan, M. Horgan and C. Murray may also be mentioned.

As the result of Morgan's openings, R. Quinn and J. Belton scored unconverted tries for the winners in the first half. After prolonged pressure in the second half O'Donnell forced his way through a gap to cross for "National" and Nolan goaled. McNeila got Belvedere's third try, following good passing from a scrum.

TRINITY'S DAY OUT

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY 47 GARRYOWEN..... 3

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Trinity opened the scoring early with a try by Bell, which Carry converted. Daly next kicked a penalty goal for Garryowen, but before the interval Carey limited a penalty goal for Trinity, and tries were scored by Craig and Walsh, neither of which was goaled. Leading by 14 points to 3 on changing ends, Trinity added 33 points to their score in the second period. Doyle got two tries, and Carry, Craig, Walsh, Anderson, Craig, Uprichard and Bell one each. Carry added the extra points to Craig and McIntyre converted Anderson's try.

BECTIVE WELL ON TOP

BECTIVE RANGERS... 11 PALMERSTON..... 3

Keen and effective in all departments, Bective Rangers well deserved their victory over Palmerston at Donnybrook on Saturday by 1 goal and 2 tries (11 points) to 1 try (3 points). The try scored for Palmerston by J. Conway in the second half was the most notable effort of the match. He obtained near his own "25," and ran through, swerving, side-stepping and changing pace in a bewildering manner, to ground for a try near the corner flag. The kick at goal failed.

The Bective tries were scored by Duggan, Dillon and Waters, while McGowan, twice brought out goal points. Dillon's try was the reward of an excellent run, in which he side-stepped several opponents. C. Waters, who figured with distinction at centre, got his try after a brilliant dash down the touch, and soon after he was unlucky to be injured, and for the second successive Saturday had to retire.

DUBLIN WIN IN BELFAST

ST. MARY'S ..... 13 MALONE 3

St. Mary's College, Dublin, created a favourable impression on their first visit to Belfast since they became seniors and at Cregagh they defeated Malone by 2 goals and a try (13 points) to a try (3 points). The Malone forwards had the better of the scrummaging, especially in the first half, but the backs did not handle well, and the marking and tackling of the Dublin side held them in check after the first few minutes. In the loose the St. Mary's forwards were always busy, and the backs ran strongly, the three-quarters being faster on the wings.

S. G. McComb, the Ulster scrum-half, is now assisting Malone, for whom he played last year, and he scored Malone's try a couple of minutes after the start, slipping over from a scrum near the posts, but failing to convert. Malone had the better of the exchanges until nearly half-time, and were attacking when Murphy broke away, kicked ahead, regained possession, and gave to Meehan, who ran forty yards to out-distance the defence and score at the posts. Collison converted, and St. Mary's were in front at the interval. In the second half Kennedy and Meagher scored, Collison converting the second try.

OLD WESLEY TAKE THEIR CHANCES

OLD WESLEY ..... 13 MONKSTOWN 0

Knock were unable to play their match against Monkstown at Sydney Parade, and Old Wesley, taking their place, ran out winners by 2 goals and a try to nil.

It was a keenly contested game, mostly of a forward nature, and Old Wesley deserved their victory.

Late in the first half C. Polden burst over, S. Polden converting with a fine shot. In the second period D. Magill scored, for S. Polden to bring out the points. Lambert added a try, which was not improved upon.

CONNAUGHT SENIOR LEAGUE SEMI-FINAL

Corinthians (holders), 13; Galwegians, 6.

ULSTER RESULTS

North of Ireland, 13; Instonians, 9.
Army XV., 6; Bangor Grammarians, 5.
Civil Service, 14; Army XV., 5.

Bray Golf Club 9 points, An Army XV. 0.

SIX NEW ARMY CHAMPIONS

POWDALL, European champion and last year's Army feather-weight title-holder, slammed his way to victory in the Army light-weight championship at the National Stadium on Saturday night. His semi-final bout against Corporal P. Sherry was a brief affair, for Sherry wilted under a non-stop barrage of punches and had to retire before the end of the first round. Fierce two-handed hitting by Dowdall was a feature of the final. Though beaten by the proverbial mile, Private M. Coughlan put up a whole-hearted fight. Dowdall hit twice as hard and three times as often, slinging punches from all angles, but Coughlan took everything he had to give and rounded off a gallant display by finishing on his feet.

Dowdall is one of six new champions. Successful holders were Private W. Maher, who received a walk-over in the heavy-weight final from Lieutenant J. D. Dennehy, the British Universities champion, who fractured a bone in his left hand on Friday's semi-final, and Private W. Knowles, who beat Private J. Moloney in the fly-weight final.

Perhaps the most interesting clash of the night was that between Private K. Doyle and Private Wyford in the feather-weight final. It was a contrast in styles—and in appearance—and Doyle's more hitting, cleverer boxing, and longer reach were not effective enough against Gifford's bull-like rushes. Gifford, caught off balance earlier in the first round by a clip to the jaw, went down, but was up again immediately. Seemingly content to land one punch in five or six attempts, Gifford kept swarming in on his opponent, and twice in the second pushed him over. Then both were warned for not stepping back on the break, and the threat of disqualification proved effective. Fireworks in the third round saw Doyle down four times—the third time from a beautiful short left hook that landed flush on the jaw and carried a count of nine. Doyle beat the count only to be knocked down again, and the bell put a stop to what was shaping like the only knock-out of the night. Results:—

Flyweight.—Final—Pte. W. Knowles (Ordnance) beat Pte. J. Moloney (5th Batt.) on points.

Bantamweight.—Semi-finals—Pte. S. Tallon (5th Batt.) beat Gunner L. O'Neill. (Artillery) on points; Pte. T. Christie (14th Batt.) beat Vol. A. McDermott (Engineers) on points. Final—Christie beat Tallon on points.

Featherweight.—Semi-finals—Pte. K. Doyle (Construction Corps) beat Cpl. P. McGarry (2nd Batt.) on points; Pte. W. Gifford (14th Batt.) beat Pte. J. O'Rourke (3rd Batt.) on points. Final—Gifford beat Doyle on points.

Lightweight.—Semi-finals—Cpl. P. Dowdall (A.A. Batt.) beat Cpl. P. Sherry (2nd Batt.) retired in first round; Pte. M. Coughlan (C.T. and M. Depot, Cork) beat Pte. H. McDonnell (25th Batt.) on points. Final—Dowdall beat Coughlan on points.

Welterweight.—Final—Cpl. V. Black (Air Corps) beat Sgt. S. White (8. and T. Services) on points.

Middleweight.—Semi-finals—Sgt. C. Evenden (5th Batt.) beat Cpl. G. Graham (4th Batt.) on points; Cpl. R. Reid (5th Batt.) beat Cpl. D. Gulfoyle (8th Batt.) on points. Final—Evenden beat Reid on points.

Cruiserweight.—Semi-finals—Pte. P. O'Reilly (18th Batt.) beat Pte. Costello (Engineers) on points; Pte. M. Dwan (Ordnance) beat Pte. H. Finberty (1st Batt.) on points. Final—Dwan beat O'Reilly on points.

Heavyweight.—Final—Pte. W. Maher (6th Batt.) w.o.; Lieut. J. D. Dennehy (A.M.S., 4th Batt.) scr.

HEAVY-WEIGHT BOUT OFF

The eagerly awaited heavyweight bout between Lieut. J. D. Dennehy, British Universities champion, and P. O'Sullivan (Mourne Abbey), the former Irish title-holder, arranged for the Arbour Hill tournament next Friday, will not take place. Dennehy injured his left hand in the Army championships, and O'Sullivan has pulled a muscle. A substitute bout will be included in the programme, featuring G. Bennett, the hard-hitting Bandon heavyweight, who has knocked out M. Lacey, and who recently beat O'Sullivan. His opponent will be Pte. P. Connolly, who put up such a good fight against Dennehy last Friday.

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LEINSTER AND ULSTER TEAMS CHOSEN

The following team has been chosen to represent Leinster against Connaught at Kilkenny Saturday next:—

Full-back—D. Thorpe (Old Belvedere).

Three-quarters—K. O'Flanagan (University College), G. J. Quinn (Old Belvedere), K. McIntyre (Dublin University), T. Chamberlain (Blackrock College).

Half-backs—E. A. Carry (Dublin University), G. J. Morgan (Old Belvedere).

Forwards—J. Spicer (Wanderers), D. Ryan (University College), C. E. Polden (Old Wesley), K. O'Brien (Bective Rangers), R. Mitchell (Lansdowne), T. F. Roche (Dublin University), V. Aird (Old Belvedere), B. P. Dunne (Blackrock College).

There are four changes from the side successful over Ulster. Morgan, Polden, Aird and Dunne replacing C. Fox (Wanderers), P. O'Sullivan and J. O'Dwyer (Old Belvedere), and W. D. Boyle (Dublin University).

The Ulster team to play Munster at Limerick on Saturday next is:—

Full-back—T. E. Guy (North of Ireland).

Three-quarters—W. J. B. Higson (Queen's University), D. G. Rice (Queen's University), G. A. Maginnis (North of Ireland), W. H. Clement (North of Ireland).

Halves—S. Dobbin (Instonians) (out), S. G. McComb (Queen's Univ.) (scrum).

Forwards—E. J. Traill (Carrick), F. Cromey (Queen's University), M. R. Neely (Queen's University), O. B. Rooney (North of Ireland), J. E. Nelson (Malone), W. Fallowfield (North of Ireland), C. G. Irwin (Queen's University), and F. Galbraith (Collegians).

The team shows six changes from that which Leinster defeated in Belfast two weeks ago. T. E. Guy replaces R. S. Clements (R.U.C.) at full-back, and W. H. Clements, a Welsh international, comes on in place of W. Simpson (R.A.F.) on the right wing. G. J. Rice is preferred to J. D. Craig, Dobbin replaces W. H. McFarland at out-half, and in the back Traill and Galbraith are chosen instead of S. J. Edgar (Civil Service) and Captain Campbell (Army and Sussex County).

LANSDOWNE'S EFFORT

BLACKROCK COLLEGE... 16 LANSDOWNE... 8

Are the Blackrock team all they are cracked up to be? Certainly, their scoring machines ran none too smoothly against Lansdowne on Saturday, and though they emerged victorious by 2 goals and 2 tries (16 points) to 1 goal and 1 penalty goal (8 points), their performance was not impressive. In fact, they gave a disappointing display, and on the day's play looked far from being invincible. Lansdowne fielded a weak side—two of their best backs, Frank Cosgrave and J. Cagney, being absentees. Yet the side generally made a great fight of it, and had they been at full strength, and had their pack possessed a little more weight, Blackrock's one hundred per cent. record would assuredly have been at least in jeopardy.

Despite the fact that they were without J. O'Dwyer for the opening 15 minutes, Lansdowne had all the best of the play, and actually took the lead, D. Cosgrave landing a penalty goal. After this Blackrock settled down, and Ferris, with a try, converted by Crowe, put them in front. This was quickly followed up with a try by Brophy, after a great opening made by Chamberlain. Chamberlain then crossed to Crowe to convert. In the second half Lansdowne, without being really dangerous, continued to keep their opponents at full stretch, and, though they conceded another try, scored by Creedon. Lansdowne added a further five points to their total, Devaney crossing for a try, to which Delaney added the extra points.

ROBERTSON'S VALUE

WANDERERS ..... 21 COLLEGIANS 5

A. B. Robertson, Wanderers' captain and out-half, has rarely been in more enterprising form than on Saturday at Lansdowne road. He scored a distinct personal success, accounting for 12 points out of Wanderers' total of 21, and, generally speaking, marshalled his forces behind the scrum to excellent effect. The headquarters side won by 3 goals, a penalty goal, and a try, to a goal.

With a good service of the ball from Fox, Robertson opened up the attack in shrewd fashion, and Taylor's strong running on the wing was fully exploited.

Collegians never looked like winning. There was a noticeable lack of finish about their play, due, possibly, to the necessity of a three-quarter reshuffle at the last moment. Grimshaw, who came on at centre, did quite well, and Mathers showed occasional thrust at out-half, but the Northern backs, as an attacking force, were poor enough.

Robertson opened the scoring with a penalty goal after ten minutes, Taylor raced over for a try five minutes later, and another ten minutes saw Robertson romp in for a try, which he converted, to give Wanderers a half-time lead of 11 points. A forward rush led to a Collegians' try by Cromey, and Grimshaw converted, but Wanderers were not finished, and Taylor and Horan had tries, both of which Robertson goaled.

CLONTARF WIN IN CORK

CLONTARF ..... 6 UNIV. COLL., CORK 3

Moran and Mullan scored for Clontarf, and Attwood for U.C.C. University College had a good sprinkling of juniors among the team they fielded against Clontarf at the Mardyke on Saturday, but notwithstanding that fact they gave a useful Clontarf side a good run for their money. The home side had a distinct advantage in the scrum, and their forwards played a rattling good game all through. Keen marking by Clontarf, however, enabled the visitors to nullify that advantage, and the College backs never seemed able to make headway against their rivals. Possibly that explains the very noticeable tendency to use the kick ahead and for touch, but Williams, at full-back for the visitors, was never caught napping. Clontarf's backs got fewer opportunities, but were able to turn them to better account. All things considered, including the fact that U.C.C. missed two penalties, a draw would have more accurately reflected the merits of the teams.

MUNSTER MATCHES

Southern Command XV. 13, Cork Selected 12.
Dolphin 25, Young Munster 3.
Cork Constitution 9, Sunday's Well 3.

TURF BEAT PRESS

TURF ..... 582 DUBLIN NEWSPAPERS ... 507

After a lapse of several years, the match between the Turf and the Dublin Newspapers' G.S. was revived at Hermitage yesterday, when the Turf won with an aggregate of 582 for the eight best netts, against 507. Details:—

Turf—A. O'Malley, 68; C. Smirke, 71; P. Maher, 72; G. Mullen, 73; C. M. Burke, 73; P. J. Kilmartin, 73; K. J. Duggan, 76; P. J. Cregan, 76; Aggregate—582.

Press—J. O'Carroll, 70; H. Gibb, 70; M. Hopper, 73; H. G. C. Legge, 75; C. Arnold, 75; M. H. Rooney, 76; M. Knightly, 78; T. Walsh, 80. Aggregate—597.

Turf—Best nett, A. O'Malley, 68; second best nett, C. Smirke, 71.

Press—Best nett, J. O'Carroll and H. Gibb tied with 70.

Hermitage—Best nett, R. B. Kelly, 68; second best nett, J. J. Toner, 70.

Best gross—J. E. Dalton, 74.

Fourball—K. J. Duggan and H. G. C. Legge, 4 up; M. Hopper and H. Evans, 3 up; C. Arnold and H. Leddy, 3 up; J. O'Carroll and C. M. Burke, 3 up; M. Knightly and C. Smirke, 3 up; G. Mullen and W. Mohan, 3 up.

Hermitage fourball—J. Ryan and J. J. Harrington, 4 up.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

GRANGE.—Turkey—Class I.: H. Greatiam (8), 34; W. J. Reade (3), 34½; S. Cullen (10), 35; D. Denton (12), 35; L. McKenny (12), 35. Class II.: P. Molloy (16), 31; P. J. Lennon (18), 31; E. N. Guise-Brown (13), 33½. Class III.: W. Annesley (20) 35½ J. J. Boylan (22), 35; R. A. Burch (19), 36½; P. J. Fanning (20), 37.

RATHFARNHAM.—Medals—Class I.: F. C. Oxley (5), 36½; G. Black (7), 37½. Class II.: A. Pullan (13), 33½; R. K. Carter (14), 36. Class III.: J. C. Millard (18), 34; W. M. Calwell (20), 36; E. T. Cochrane (24), 36.

GLONTARF.—Turkey—First nine holes. Winners: J. O'Carroll (15) and A. Walsh (18), 36½; G. Cooney (14) and M. Normoyle (14), 33½. Second nine holes: Dermot O'Halloran (11) and Desmond O'Halloran (16), 36½; D. J. Fitzgerald (9) and J. Prestage (18), 35½. Saturday—Turkey competition, fourball; first and second nine.

GREYSTONES.—Ladies—Medal: Miss N. Oulton (10), 85; Mrs. G. R. Oulton (12), 85. December 20th—Medal, bogey, nine holes.

GURRAGH.—Ladies—To-morrow: Mrs. Price's prize, nine holes, stroke; draw 2.15 for those requiring opponents; whist drive after competition. Mrs. H. L. Mansfield's prize—Winner, Mrs. W. Price (8), 36.

MALAHIDE.—Turkey (aggregate)—G. A. Terrill and T. Gore (24), 125; R. J. Crowley and A. McAllister (29), 128; W. G. Patterson and J. Goodwin (25), 129; W. G. Patterson and J. Taylor (28), 129.

SUTTON.—Turkey—F. M. Sammerfield (16), 32; J. Burns (14), 33; V. Hogg (6), 33. Saturday—Turkey competition.

CASTLE.—Scotch foursomes—Class I. First nine holes—G. B. Butler and E. O'Hare (3), 35; E. M. Forde and Supt. G. Butler (3), 35½. Second nine holes—T. H. Loder and R. Fitzpatrick (9), 37; —— Coogan and B. G. Wylie (24), 38. Class II.—First nine: J. B. Barrett and G. L. Charendon (4½), 31½; J. H. Bannister and W. R. Reynolds (6½), 33½. Second nine: W. Dunne and C. M. Nolan (5), 32; J. Ryan and F. G. Ryan (4½), 32½.

ELM PARK.—Turkey, fourball—F. G. Igoe (11) and T. L. Keane (17), 3 up; J. E. Arigho (9) and E. Wilson (12), 3 up.

MILLTOWN.—Fourball, aggregate, Stapleford—T. B. Hannin (7) and E. Sheehy (14), 34; C. F. Myerscough (5) and F. J. Power (12), 32; R. Fleming (9) and J. F. Burney (16), 32; P. J. Kavanagh (9) and J. F. O'Grady (12), 31; D. W. O'Kelly (10) and J. P. Leahy (13), 31; D. V. Horgan (3) and F. J. Long (10), 30; P. J. Tierney (9) and S. O'Connor (14), 30. Saturday—Christmas hamper, fourball; first nine holes.

BALLYBUNION.—Turkey—H. Mullally (10), 34; F. R. Kelly (14), 36; P. L. Flanagan (11), 37½.

DUN LAOGHAIRE.—Turkey. Winners — V. Connolly, C. J. O'Connell, R. C. Wilson. C. Weldon, J. Wallace, A. Crawford. Ladies—Turkey —Class I.—Mrs. Cochrane (14), 77. Class 2—Mrs. Bardon (27), 79; Miss B. O'Kelly (28), 79; Mrs. Harding (30), 79; Mrs. Broughton (32), 79. Ties to be played off by December 2nd. November 28—Married v. Single matches.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—Turkey—K. Bridges (4) and D. J. Connor (11), 4 up; J. McCullagh (4) and T. O'Looney (14), 3 up; J. O'Reilly (4) and W. O. Cremin (10), 3 up; L. Gunning (6) and D. Butler (9), 2 up; P. J. Taylor (7) and A. R. Prentice (12), 2 up; M. Griffin (10) and C. Byrne (10), 2 up; C. H. West (3) and D. M. Tibbs (11), 2 up. T. M. Healy Cup Final—C. Merry beat J. F. Malley.

BELGANY.—Turkey—Lionel E. Bray (18), 33; P. R. Last (12), 34. R. J. Gregory (8), 35. Ladies—To-morrow — Medal, postponed from November 5, 18 holes, strokes; arrange opponents.

FOXROCK.—Ladies—Medals—Class 1—Mrs. L. Werner (17), 75. Class 2—Miss E. Lemass (25), 75. To-morrow—Surprise fourball, nine holes. Draws for partners 10.15 and 10.30. Committee meeting at 9 o'clock.

KILLINEY.—Turkey competition—J. M. Mitchell (8) and D. J. Murray (13), 5 up; G. Brownlee (12) and W. Brownlee (12), 5 up; C. V. McCarty (19) and T. Kane (21), 3 up; R. Belton (7) and M. Duffy (11), 3 up; J. Carey (15) and J. Fitzpatrick (16), 3 up; G. J. Young (10) and R. D. Gray (15), 3 up. Saturday next—Scotch foursomes, strokes.

SENIOR LEAGUE TABLE

	Goals—					
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Corinthians	6	5	0	1	19	7	10
Railway Union	6	4	2	0	12	4	10
Three Rock R.	7	5	0	2	18	10	10
Y.M.C.A.	7	3	2	2	11	11	8
Dublin Univ.	7	2	1	4	13	15	5
Monkstown	7	0	5	2	5	11	5
Pembroke W.	7	1	3	3	7	15	4
Avoca School	7	0	2	5	7	19	2

TAKING A FENCE IN THE BROWNSTOWN PLATE

Autumn Leaf, nearest camera, finished second.

Webster Cup for Ring of Gold

THE growing popularity of Navan meeting has been noticeable in the last couple of years, and last Saturday's fixture was also a marked success, the large stands and enclosures being splendidly filled. Though three favourites won, there were some bad upsets for backers, only one of whom named the Tote double and benefited to the extent of £310 10s. It was somewhat of a disappointment that Drumbilla, though declared a runner overnight, did not turn out for the Webster Cup, and with Piper's Luck running in the Navan Hurdle race instead, there were only four runners for this much coveted trophy. Odds were laid on Ring of Gold, and the Galway Plate winner throughout the race had the measure of the others, one of whom, National Lad, fell at the third last fence. Colonel D. W. Daly was not present to see the horse win, and the cup was presented to Mrs. Daly.

The Slane Plate, the other steeplechase on the card, was also won by a pronounced favourite, Mr. R. H. Walker's four years old Reveal scoring in almost equally facile style. The son of Bard of Avon had the race in safe keeping when Shrarmore and Lord Boris came to grief at the second last fence. J. Lenehan and M. Gordon, the riders of these horses, unfortunately, had bad falls, Lenehan having his nose broken and Gordon receiving cuts across the cheek.

Th success of Reveal was followed by another triumph for the Rathvale stable when Mrs. R. H. Walker's Red Wind, with long odds laid on her chance, cantered home a long way in front of five other runners in the Grange Plate. This daughter of My Prince had shown good form as a hurdler earlier in the season, and this was her second score in succession on the flat.

Many horses were well fancied for the Brownstown Hurdle race, which was for maidens at entry, but it was won in comfortable style by Mr. D. Macaulay's Another Greek, ridden by John Doyle and trained by John Doyle, senior. Joyeuse Garde, now the property of Mr. W. J. Hilliard, was favourite, but never appeared with a winning chance, and Autumn Leaf was the one to make the best showing against the winner.

Another race regarded as being very open was the Navan Handicap hurdle, eight of the fourteen runners figuring in the quotations, but the issue was decided a long way from home. Dalmatian, the property of Mr. H. Davis, took command when about half the journey had been covered, and never afterwards looked like being overhauled.

The Boyne Plate provided the best finish of the day, and it was only by a neck that Clogher Head prevailed over Dandy Boy, the latter the mount of the veteran jockey, J. Patman, while another neck off Happy Larry was third. Spring Sonnet, who had run well at Leopardstown on the previous Saturday, was now confidently expected to win, but never looked like fulfilling expectations. Evora was prominent for a long way, and finished fourth.

2.30—**SLANE PLATE** of £100. Second £10, third £5. A handicap steeplechase. 2½ m.

Mr. R. Walker's b. g. REVEAL, by Bard of Avon—Revelation, 4, 10-2 .....D. L. Moore 1
Mr. K. Cleary's AGAG, 6, 9-2 .....
Mr. L. McMorrow 2
Mr. J. G. McKeever's MISS DEE, 6, 9-7 .....
T. McNeill 3

Also ran:—Knight of Venosas, a, 12-6 (Mr. H. Harty); September, a, 12-1 (Mr. P. P. Hogan); Shrarmore, 6, 11-13 (J. Lenehan); Grant, 6, 10-7 (J. Barrett); Lord Boris, a, 9-7 (M. Gordon). (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—Evens REVEAL, 3 to 1 agst. Shrarmore, 6 to 1 September, 8 to 1 each Knight of Venosas and Miss Dee, 100 to 8 Agag or any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 3/6; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/6.

Won by 6l.; 4l. September 4th, Grant 5th, Shrarmore and Lord Boris fell at the second last fence.

3.0—**BROWNSTOWN PLATE** of £50. Second £6, third £3. A hurdle race. 1 m. 6 f.

Mr. D. McAulay's gr. g. ANOTHER GREEK, by Eyrestown—Kalepot, 5, 11-4...John Doyle 1
Mr. J. Farrell's AUTUMN LEAF, 6, 10-13 .....T. Cullen, jun. 2
Mrs. Mahoney's JOLLY GOODFELLOW, 4, 10-9 .....McElroy 3

Also ran:—Cool Avon, 6, 10-13 (W. Gilmour); Charming Boy, 5, 11-4 (J. Moloney); Ya Ya, a, 10-13 (Mr. T. Fitzsimons); Joyeuse Garde, a, 11-4 (Mr. T. O'Grady); Tolman, 6, 11-4 (T. McNeilly); Dunsink, 4, 11-0 (P. Moylan); Glenade, 5, 11-0 (J. Brogan); Sheelagh, 3, 10-2 (Mr. J. R. Cox); Blue Ribbon, 3, 10-3 (Mr. P. P. Hogan); Avion, 3, 10-2 (P. Powell); H.M.S. Sturgeon, 3, 10-2 (D. L. Moore). (Winner trained by Doyle.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Joyeuse Garde, 4 to 1 each ANOTHER GREEK and Autumn Leaf, 6 to 1 each Dunsink, Glenade, and Tolman, 10 to 1 Jolly Goodfellow or any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 6/6; places, 2/-, 2/6.

Won by 3l.; 1l. Ya Ya 4th, Charming Boy 5th, Joyeuse Garde 6th, Cool Avon 7th.

3.30—**WEBSTER CUP**, value £50, with £100 added. Second £10, third £5. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.

Col. D. W. Daly's b. g. RING OF GOLD, by Tolgus—Gold Brick, 5, 10-10...T. McNeill 1
Mr. J. Mangan's SWINDON GLORY, 6, 11-5 .....Mr. P. P. Hogan 2
Mr. H. O'Leary's STERLING DUKE, a, 11-3 .....T. Hyde 3

Also ran—Hon. Mrs. Massy's National Lad, 5, 11-2 (T. O'Connor). (Winner trained by Usher.)

Betting—5 to 4 on RING OF GOLD, 3 to 1 each agst. Swindon Glory and Sterling Duke, 20 to 1 National Lad. Tote (2/-)—Win, 4/-; forecast, 9/-.

Won by 6l.; 20l. National Lad fell at the third fence.

4.0—**NAVAN (M.) HURDLE** of £100. Second £10, third £5. 2½ m.

Mr. H. Davis's ch. g. DALMATIAN, by Fiterart —Dalmatic, 5, 9-12 .....J. Hickey 1
Miss A. Wall's FREE SCOT, a, 9-8 .....Mr. J. R. Cox 2
Mr. J. V. Rank's UP THE AISLE, 6, 11-3 .....P. J. Murphy 3

Also ran—Prince Achille, a, 11-9 (Mr. P. P. Hogan); Smerwick's Nephew, 5, 11-12 (D. L. Moore); Rockleigh, 5, 10-9 (T. Cullen, jun.); Allanwood, 4, 11-0 (J. Barrett); Barrymore, 4, 9-12 (J. Tuite); Portugal, a, 9-9 (W. Gilmour); Glenkieran, 4, 9-12 (M. Gordon); Prospect Lad, 5, 9-12 (Mr. H. Harty); Piper's Luck, 5, 9-9 (T. McNeill); Sea Bachelor, a, 9-8 (E. J. Kennedy); Gay Stefan, 4, 9-9 (J. Brogan). (Winner trained by C. Donnelly.)

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. DALMATIAN and Up the Aisle, 5 to 1 each Piper's Luck and Gay Stefan, 6 to 1 Sea Bachelor, 8 to 1 each Prospect Lad, Smerwick's Nephew and Rockleigh, 10 to 1 Free Scot or any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 10/-; places, 4/-, 11/-, 4/-.

Won by 8l.; 4l. Allanwood 4, Barrymore 5, Glenkieran 6.

4.30—**BOYNE PLATE** of £100. Second, £10; third, £5. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 2 f.

Mr. J. Mangan's br. c. CLOGHER HEAD, by Blanding—Abbot's Smile, 3, 8-1...G. Wells 1
Mr. D. Malone's DANDY BOY, 4, 8-4 .....J. Patman 2
Mrs. T. Hyde's HAPPY LARRY, 6, 8-2 .....J. P. Maguire 3

Also ran—Evora, 3, 8-13 (H. Holmes); Spring Sonnet, 3, 8-12 (M. Wing); Wild Wheat, 3, 8-11 (T. Burns); Amor de Cuba, 5, 8-8 (J. Moylan); Royal Down, 3, 8-2 (W. Howard); Guardroom, 3, 7-11 (T. P. Burns); Serpolette, a, 8-0 (John Power); Never No More, 4, 8-0 (John Doyle). (Winner trained by J. Mangan.)

Betting—5 to 4 on Spring Sonnet, 5 to 1 each Dandy Boy, Happy Larry and Evora, 7 to 1 Royal Down, 10 to 1 CLOGHER HEAD or any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 109/-; places, 26/6, 5/6, 11/-.

Won by a neck; same. Evora 4, Wild Wheat 5, Royal Down 6.

5.0—**GRANGE PLATE** of £50. Second, £6; third, £5. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.

Mrs. Walker's ch. f. RED WIND, by My Prince Wind-up, 4, 11-3 .....Mr. P. J. Lenehan 1
Capt. F. ffrench Davis's FAIR KARL, a, 10-9 .....Mr. F. Fitzsimons 2
Mr. J. A. Mangan's PUCKA MAN, 4, 10-10 .....Mr. P. P. Hogan 3

Also ran—Maid of Aran, 5, 11-5 (J. Mooney); Fair Pussy, 4, 10-5 (Mr. L. T. Byrne); Galloping Sandy, 4, 10-9 (Mr. G. V. Malcomson). (Winner trained by Walker.)

Betting—5 to 1 on RED WIND, 6 to 1 agst. Pucka Man, 100 to 8 Fair Karl or any other. Tote (2/-)—Win, 2/6; places, 2/-, 3/-.

Won by 10l.; 8l. Galloping Sandy 4.

TOTE DOUBLE (5/- stake)—Dalmatian and Clogher Head. Dividend, £310 10/-. One winning ticket. Pool, £345. Day's pool, £1,851 16/-. Last year, £1,156 1/-.

The Navan Racecourse Premises were disinfected with Jeyes' Fluid.—(Advt.)

WOMEN'S HOCKEY RESULTS

Senior Cup—First Round Replay—Shielmartin 7, Dublin University 1.

Senior League—Newcomes 4, Civil Service 2; Muckross 3, Maids 1; Old Colleg 3, Muckross 2nd 3; Optimists 3, Wicklow Past 2; U.C.D. 7, Old Wesley 0; Pembroke Wanderers 1st 2, Pembroke Wanderers 2nd 0.

Intermediate Badges—Second Round—Pembroke Wanderers 3rd 4, Shielmartin 2nd 1; Loreto Past 2nd 2, Wicklow Past 2nd 1; Grange 3, Optimists 2nd 1; Newcomes 2nd 3, Glengara 2; Muckross 4th 4, Bray 1.

Middle Badges—Second Round—Annadale 4, Brookville 3; Muckross 5th 4, Comptometers 1; Optimists 3rd 1, Graftonians 0; Old Wesley 3rd 3, U.C.D. 3rd 1; School of Massage 2, Sion Hill 2; Pembroke Wanderers 4th 3, Clonliffe 1.

Junior League A—Shielmartin 3rd 2, Civil Service 4th 1; Ivy 3rd 3, Willwod 0; Old Wesley 4th 4, Imperial Tobacco Co. 0.

Junior League B—Civil Service 3rd 12, Old Wesley 5th 0; Sion Hill 3rd 3, Clonliffe 2nd 0; Comptometers 2nd 6, Lido 0; Dominican Past 3rd 1, Graftonians 0; R.C.S.I. 2, Pembroke Wanderers 6th 0; St. Mobhi's 5, Newcomes 4th 1.

Minor League—Civil Service 5th 4, Ivy 5th 0; Comptometers 3rd 2, Richview 2nd 0; Optimists 5th 6, Grange 4th 0; Newcomes 6th 6, Imperial Tobacco 2nd 1; Loreto 4th 2, Imperial Tobacco 6th 0.

Senior Friendly—Loreto Past 6, Monkstown 1. Munster Senior Cup—U.C.D. 4, Old Ursulines 3. Munster Senior League—Cork 5, Civil Service 3. Munster Schools' League—St. Angelos 4, Rochelle 0.

AGA KHAN'S ONE HORSE

The Aga Khan, who for years has been one of the leading racehorse owners in Great Britain, will have only one horse in training next season, this being Winterhalter, who has won his last three races and is one of the best three-year-old stayers in England. Tarkhan and Stardust, who finished first and second in the Yorkshire St. Leger at Thirsk on Saturday, are being retired to the stud forthwith.

CLOSING OF ENTRIES

Entries for the Patriotic Plate of 500 sovs., which is to be run at the Baldoyle Whitsuntide Meeting, close on Wednesday next with Mr. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin.

HockeyLeague Surprise

Y.M.C.A. ..... 1 CORINTHIANS 0

Corinthians were unlucky to lose their unbeaten record. After being a goal down at the interval they lost King (injured) early in the second half, and for a time their chances of saving a point seemed remote. In the last twenty minutes, however, they staged a great rally, during which they did everything but score.

Y.M.C.A. can thank their defenders for their win. Worrall was very alert in coming out to block penalty corner shots, while Taylor, Curtis and Sanderson made very few mistakes. The forwards were weak, especially in the first half, when several chances were missed.

Apart from Chel Colter's reverse shot that beat him after twenty minutes, Ledwidge got very few to stop, so well was he covered by Gibson and L

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Thirsk Results

12.30—**SUTTON NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE** of £200 (2-Y.O.). 5 f.
Mr. Hetherton's br. f. LIONETTA, by Coup de Lyon—Thelma, 9-0 ..... H. Wragg 1
Mr. R. Clark's ST. SAMUEL, 8-10...K. Mullins 2
Lady Feversham's KINGSWOOD, 8-8...W. Nevett 3
Also ran—Dean of Guild (G. Littlewood), First Throw (——), Maltano (R. Fawdon), Mabrouka (G. Richards), Sea Fret (J. Taylor), Doomsday (J. Caldwell), Cuisiniere c. (K. Robertson), Blotting Pad (H. Jamieson), Alpha f. (——), Fine Champagne (D. Nicholl), Golden Boy (D. Smith), Yoohoo (E. Smith), Woodland Pixie (M. Beary). (Winner trained by Elsey.)
Betting—5 to 1 agst. Dean of Guild, 6 to 1 each LIONETTA, Kingswood and Mabrouka, 7 to 1 Maltano, 8 to 1 each Sea Fret and Cuisiniere c., 100 to 6 First Throw, 20 to 1 St. Samuel or any other. **Tote** (2/-)—Win, 8/9; places, 4/3, 26/6, 5/3.
Won by ¾l.; same.

1.0—**GOWSBY HANDICAP PLATE** of £200 (3-Y.O.). 1 m.
Mr. Weeden's br. g. LOVETIN, by Winalot—Arched, 7-1 ..... K. Mullins 1
Mr. Lant's LUNAR, 7-9 ..... D. Smith 2
Mr. Humble's LORD CHANCELLOR II., 7-6 ..... P. Evans 3
Also ran—Monopole (W. Nevett), Gardenia (G. Richards), Angelo (E. Smith), Young Lovelock (G. Littlewood), Old Keg (J. Dyson), Bow Street (Hardman), Bentworth (——), Distant Bells (D. V. Dick), Garter Princess (A. Richardson), Inaccurate (——). (Winner trained by R. W. Colling.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Lunar, 9 to 2 Monopole, 11 to 2 LOVETIN, 8 to 1 each Gardenia, Young Lovelock and Old Keg; 100 to 7 each Lord Chancellor II. and Garter Princess, 20 to 1 any other. **Tote** (2/-)—Win, 16/3; places, 4/6, 3/3, 8/3.
Won by ¾l.; 2l.

1.45—**YORKSHIRE ST. LEGER STAKES**, with with £1,000 added (3-Y.O.). 1 m. 7 f.
H.H. Aga Khan's b. c. TURKHAN, by Bahram—Theresina, 9-0 ..... G. Richards 1
H.H. Aga Khan's STARDUST, 9-0...H. Wragg 2
Lord Rosebery's HIPPIUS, 9-0 ..... E. Smith 3
Also ran—Olidon (M. Beary), Congratulations (G. Littlewood), Sol d'Or (W. Nevett).
Betting—9 to 4 agst. Stardust, 4 to 1 each TURKHAN and Hippius, 9 to 2 Olidon, 5 to 1 Congratulations, 25 to 1 Sol d'Or. **Tote** (2/-)—Win, 9/9; places, 4/9, 5/9.
Won by ¾l.; same.

2.15—**AUTUMN HANDICAP PLATE** of £200. 6 f.
Mr. Redman's b. g. HALLIARD, by Apple Sammy—Flaming Rose, 5, 7-0 ...D. Smith 1
Mr. Davey's BANGO, 6, 8-1 .....J. Caldwell 2
Miss Farrar's COMATAS, 3, 8-5 .....H. Wragg 3
Also ran:—Capelgill (J. Taylor), Vain Fancy (W. Nevett), Mascolette (E. Smith), Paul Beg (M. Beary), Snow Way (G. Richards), Koko (J. Edgeley), Mystery Man (D. Nicoll), Scottish Archer (P. Evans), Valthema (A. Littlewood), Broadcaster (R. Duke), Wee Murray (J. Dyson), Dangan (——), King Henry (——), Activity (W. Couch), Meshra (——). (Winner trained by Carr.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Koko, 3 to 1 Comatas, 7 to 1 Vain Fancy, 10 to 1 each HALLIARD, Capelgill and Bango, 100 to 8 each Wee Murray and Moscolette, 20 to 1 each Paul Beg and Snow Way, 25 to 1 Mystery Man, 33 to 1 any other. **Tote** (2/-)—Win, 18/3; places, 5/6, 4/6, 3/6.
Won by 1l.; 2l.

2.45—**RIEVAULX HANDICAP PLATE** of £200. 1¼ m.
Mr. Easterby's b. c. HAPPY THOUGHTS, by Solario—Frideline, 3, 7-9 .....E. Smith 1
Mr. G. Hartigan's PAPPAGENO II., 5, 9-7 ..... G. Richards 2
Mr. Farr's SO-SO, 3, 7-4 .....K. Robertson 3
Also ran:—Sir Peter (J. Taylor), Pointis (——), Noble Glen (W. Couch), Helen's Hill (M. Beary), Brigadore (P. Evans), Wishwell (D. Smith), Arran Crest (W. Nevett), Chrysolite (——), Kit Carson (K. Mullins), Moontraen (A. Richardson), Flowing Tide (——) Massinga (J. Dyson), Up to Date (D. Nicoll).
Betting—4 to 1 agst. Wishwell, 9 to 2 Arran Crest, 5 to 1 Pappageno II., 6 to 1 Helen's Hill, 7 to 1 So-So, 100 to 8 HAPPY THOUGHTS, 100 to 7 each Sir Peter and Brigadore, 100 to 6 Chrysolite, 20 to 1 any other. **Tote**-(2/-)—Win, 25/3; places, 7/6, 8/9, 8/-.
Won by ¾l.; 2l.

3.15—**COXWOLD MAIDEN PLATE** of £200. (2-Y.O.) 6 f.
Sir V. Sassoon's b. c. ROYALIST, by Windsor Lad—Renata, 9-12 .....G. Littlewood 1
Sir E. Ohlson's SAMANGA, 8-9 .....W. Nevett 2
Lady Ludlow's GOLD QUEST G., 8-9 S. Wragg 3
Also ran:—Screech (——), Cut the Pack c. (G. Younger), Lion Tor (H. Wragg), Petra (R. Fawdon), Firaack (E. C. Elliott), Hey Presto (J. Taylor), Zep (P. Evans), Flare Light g. (E. Smith), Hedsor f. (H. Jamieson), Justification (——). (Winner trained by J. Payne.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Samanga, 7 to 4 ROYALIST, 4 to 1 Gold Quest g., 10 to 1 Lion Tor, 20 to 1 Zep, 25 to 1 any other. **Tote** (2/-)—Win, 7/6; places, 2/6, 2/3, 3/3.
Won by 1l.; 2l.

BRIGHT HURLING AT BELFIELD

(BY PAT'O.)

FAUGHS ..... 6-6 UNI. COLL. (DUB.) 3-5

College freshmen in Rackard (Wexford), Ryan (Tipperary) and Daly (Waterford) all played well for U.C.D. in their first round of the 1940-41 Senior League. Faughs, county champions, their opponents, had a grand side out, and spectators saw the brightest hour's hurling for months. Open and fast, there was never a dull moment, and U.C.D. had quite as much of the play as the winners. Again and again Faughs' goal was assailed in the third quarter; the sterling defence of Farrell, Butler and Devitt saved the champions. It was rousing finish, and U.C.D. will be prominent through the league season.

At the interval Faughs led by 3-3 to 1-2. Darcy, Devitt and T. Leahy (goals), and Gray, Darcy and Downes (points) were the Faughs' scorers, while for U.C.D. Ryan had a goal and O'Boyle and Daly points. In an exciting second period Leahy (2) and Butler (goals), and Downes (2) and Leahy (points) added to the winners' total. The U.C.D. scorers were Loughnane (a goal and a point), Ryan a goal and O'Boyle two points.

EOGHAN RUADH ... 6-2 EIRE OG (Kilkenny) 4-5

The annual visit of Kilkenny City's crack team to Croke Park drew a good company to headquarters last evening. The teams were at full strength, and Eoghan Ruadh opened so well that they were four goals clear at half-time, and retained that margin to the three-quarter hour. Kilkenny staged a grand finish; they ran up score after score, and in a last desperate rally almost landed the equalising goal.

The North Circular road forwards were in, scoring early on. After Wallace (E. Og.) goaled, the Dublin team ran up a big score. Roche (2), Winning (2), O'Connor, Wallace raised flag after flag. Points from Mulcahy and Guilfoyle were Kilkenny's only reply and the score stood 5-2 to 1-2 at half-time in Dublin's favour. P. O'Brien came on as substitute in the second half for Eire Og, taking full forward position and releasing Sean O'Brien to midfield, in place of Mulcahy (injured). The new arrival had two fast goals, and points by Dowling and Tyrell won fresh interest. The O'Brien pair and Langton shone for the visitors, running up promising scores. Langton's point brought Eoghan's margin to a goal, and spectators cheered both sides to the end. Connolly and Nicoll saved the Dublin lines in a last Kilkenny raid.

Other Results.—Football—U.C.D. 6-3, Erins Hopes 0-3 Hurling—O'Tooles 6-2, Civil Service 4-2; Vincents 1-4, Droighedore 6-1; Fontenoys 6-2, Ceitinigh 3-5.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

At Tuam—Galway 2-2, Kildare 0-6.
At Navan—Meath 4-7, Westmeath 2-3.
At Ballina—Mayo 1-10, Donegal 0-5.
At Cavan—Sligo 1-8, Cavan 1-5.
At Longford—Dublin 3-3, Longford 1-4.
At Belfast—Down 1-5, Antrim 1-4.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

TO-DAY.

Co. Limerick Hounds—Croom, 11.30 a.m.; **Meath Hounds**—Hayes' House 11.30 a.m.; Westmeath Hunt—Hopestown cross-roads, 11.30 a.m.; Co. Galway Hunt—Corofin, 11 a.m.; Wicklow Harriers—Woodenbridge, 12 noon; Coollattin Hounds—Raheengraney, 11.30 a.m.; Tipperary Hounds—Laffan's Bridge 11.30 a.m.; East Down Harriers—Drumcaw 12 noon; Tara Harriers—Deringdaly, 12 noon; Queen's County Hounds—Durrow, 12 noon; North Kildare Harriers—Taghadoe cross-roads, 11.30 a.m.; Kilkenny Hounds—Five Mile Stone, 11.30 a.m.; Island Hounds—Ferns Station, 12 noon; Duhallow Hounds—Skinakilla Cross (bye-day), 11.30 a.m.

TO-MORROW.

Meath Hounds—Kilbride, 11.30 a.m.; West Waterford Hunt—Millstreet, 11 a.m.; Scarteen Hunt—Knocklong, 12 noon; Fingal Harriers—Rathbeale, 12 noon; Waterford Hunt — Faha Chapel, 11.30 a.m.; Boyle Harriers—Ardcarne, 12 noon; **Kildare Hounds**—Burtown Cross-roads, 11 a.m.; South Union Hounds—Five-Mile Bridge, 11.30 a.m.; Mr. O'Hara's Harriers—White Gate, 11.30 a.m.; Ballymacad Hounds—Ballyfore, 12 noon; Ormond Hounds—Abbeyville Cross, 12 noon; Newry Harriers—Steenson's Bridge, 12.30 p.m.; Co. Longford Harriers—Carrickboy, 1 p.m.; United Hunt Club—Coolgreen, 11.30 a.m.; Thuries and Kilshane Hounds—Borrisoleigh, 12 noon.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES

IRELAND.

Tuesday—Powerstown Park (Clonmel).
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AT THE SHOOT : NAVAN RACES

AT THE SHOOT at Carton, Maynooth, Co. Kildare, on Saturday—Mr. Hubert Hamilton, K.C. (left) and Mr. Hugh Pack-Beresford. Left: Mr. Herbert Dudgeon and his dog, "Boss."

A GROUP TAKEN at the annual dinner of Castleknock College Union in the College on Saturday. From left: Rev. J. Campbell, Mr. J. J. Murphy, Mr. Frank Fahy, Ceann Comhairle; Mr. J. J. Robinson (President, Clongowes Union), Rev. William Meagher, Mr. J. Downes (President, Castleknock College Union) and Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, T.D.

A PAINTING COMES TO LIFE—A scene from the Degas Pastiche Ballet, which, with music by Gounod, choreography by Sara Payne, forms part of the Dublin Operatic Society's season opening at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, to-night. Left to right:—Diarmuid Kelly, Jill Gregory (première danseuse), Joseph Dalton, Christine Du Boulay, Eileen Kane and Patricia Kineen.

MISS B. TALBOT and Mrs. G. Palmer at Navan Races on Saturday. Below: The Hon. Mrs. E. Massey at the meeting.

MRS. B. M. WEBSTER (right) presenting the Webster Cup to Mrs. Daly after Colonel D. W. Daly's Ring of Gold won it at Navan Races on Saturday.

A PUPIL of Norfolk College taking part in a concert given after the College's prize distribution at the Parochial Hall, Belgrave square, Rathmines, Dublin, on Saturday.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, Dublin, maiden eights practising at Islandbridge on Saturday.

MESSAGE IN NEWSPAPER TO EIRE

VICAR'S WIFE FINED £20

Mrs. Kathleen Laura Hogan, wife of the Vicar of Horsford, Norfolk, who was fined £20 and £5 costs at Norwich on Saturday on a charge of recording information which might be useful to the enemy, was alleged to have written a message on an inside page of a copy of *The Times*, which she posted to her cousin at Ardee, Eire.

Mr. Ronald Keefe, prosecuting, said that the police discovered that someone in Norwich had despatched newspapers to two addresses in Eire, and Hogan admitted posting them. She said that she had no idea it was an offence to send newspapers to Eire.

Mr. Keefe was about to read the message, which began, "Dearest Cecilia," when the bench decided to hear the case *in camera*.

When the court resumed in public the Chairman (Major S. W. Trafford) said that it was a bad case, and Hogan had deliberately written in the newspaper in order to get past the censor. The information might have got to an enemy in that way. Hogan was fined a further £2 for posting two newspapers to Eire.

Mr. R. W. Eades, defending, said that Mrs. Hogan could have had the newspapers sent by the publishers. The loyalty of the people concerned was not questioned. Mrs. Hogan held a responsible position, lost two brothers in the last war, and she was sending one of the papers to the wife of a retired major, who was a son of a late Admiral of the Fleet.

The Magistrate's Clerk (Mr. R. N. Jones) told the court that the Rev. W. K. P. Hogan, the husband of Mrs. Hogan, had written to Mr. Cyril Walter, the Chairman of the Bench, who was not present.

The presiding Magistrate (Major S. W. Trafford), calling the Vicar before him, declared that his behaviour was "irregular and highly improper," and added that the letter had been passed on to the police, who would consider what action to take.

The British Secretary of State for War, Mr. Anthony Eden, on Saturday carried out an extensive tour of a number of areas in the British Midlands. In the course of this he visited Coventry.

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ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10 a.m. Psalm, 119 (57-72). Chants, 72, 28. Urbs Fortitudinis, 81. Hymn, 746. Evensong at 4 o'clock. Psalm, 119 (89-104). Chants, 42, 75. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Wood in C minor. Anthem, "Thou wilt keep him," Wesley.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite, 346. Psalm, 119, 49-64 (347). Te Deum, 748, 749, 750. Hymn, 492. Evensong at 3 o'clock. Boys' voices only. Psalm, 119, 73-88 (354). Magnificat, 365. Nunc Dimittis, 363. Anthem, "Zion hears her watchmen's voices," J. S. Bach (1685-1750).

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